

Weather

Snow Monday night; colder with snow flurries Tuesday.

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Production Of Big Shells Must Be Increased By 55 Percent

BULLETIN
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11—Selective Service Director Lewis B. Hershey instructed local draft boards today to carry out the government "work or fight" ultimatum as the WPB reported that munitions output for October was two percent below "reduced" schedules.

Maj. Gen. Hershey sent a telegram to state directors ordering local boards to begin immediate review of deferments in the 26 through 37 age group regarding their essentiality to the war effort and aid in the recruitment of manpower for critical programs.

The telegram will be followed by detailed regulations and memoranda to local boards outlining the procedure "they will immediately follow in order that the desired results may be accomplished in the shortest possible time." The regulations are expected to be issued late this week.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11—The government moved swiftly today to implement the revised "work-or-fight" order for men 26 through 37 in the face of a war production board report disclosing that munitions output for October was two percent below the "reduced first-of-the-month schedule."

GOERING KILLS HITLER, EX-GESTAPO MAN SAYS

LONDON, Dec. 11—Add "where's Hitler?" yawns: The fuhrer is dead reported the London News-World in a Brussels dispatch quoting a captured German Gestapo agent.

The Gestapo man explained that Adolf Hitler was shot and killed by Reichsmarshal Hermann Goering July 19, a day before the reported bomb explosion designed to assassinate him.

OUR WEATHER MAN

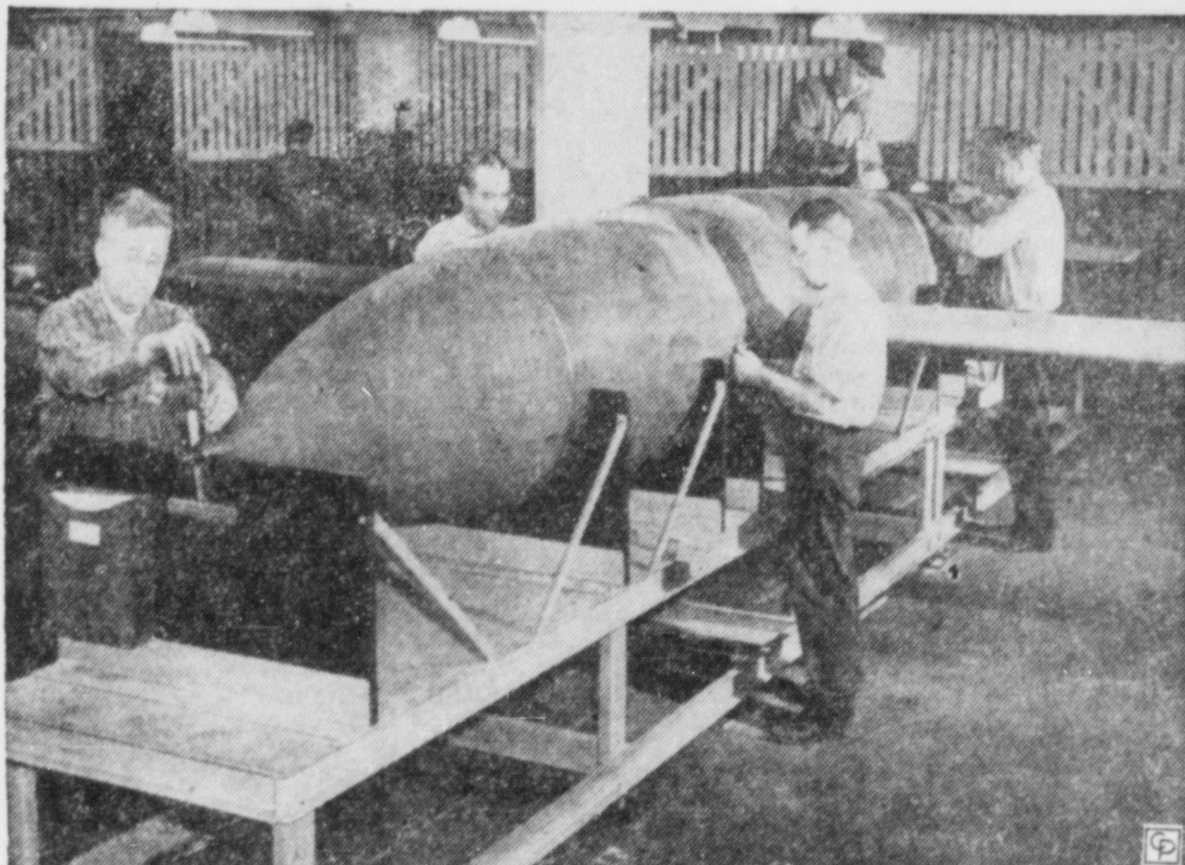


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U. S. "BUZZ BOMB" WILL REPAY NAZIS FOR V-1



IN ANSWER TO THE NAZI'S use of the V-1, Willys-Overland Motors aircraft workers are working at top speed to produce the robot bombs which the Army Air Forces has ordered. This craft, which has a streamlined fuselage of 27 feet and a stubby wing span of 17 feet, is one of the first of the American robots to be shipped from the Toledo plant, principle source of the projectiles. (International)

CITY FILES SUIT ON WATER PLANT

Condemnation Proceedings Instituted To Assess Property Value

Condemnation suit against the Ohio Water Service company had been filed in common pleas court Monday by the city of Circleville.

The suit was filed against the Ohio Water Service company, a New York corporation, and the Central Hanover Bank and Trust company, a New York corporation. The New York company was named also because of mortgages, contracts and indentures it holds, the petition states.

The application to assess compensation, as the petition was labeled, states that local property of the Ohio Water Service company includes three tracts in Jackson township, two in Circleville township besides pipelines, hydrants, service lines, meters, etc., in Circleville. The city also seeks to acquire all franchises, permits, consents, licenses, grants, privileges, leases, contracts, etc., of the Circleville plant.

The suit was filed by the solicitor in accordance with instructions of council in an ordinance passed August 15 and approved by the voters of Circleville at a special election December 5.

NINE COACHES JUMP RAILS, BUT DEATH CHEATED

WADSWORTH, Ill., Dec. 11—The coach section of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul "Olympian," crack passenger train, jumped the track near Wadsworth early today, derailling nine of the 10 coaches.

Railroad officials and local authorities said that some of the passengers were shaken up and bruised but that none was seriously injured. None of the coaches was overturned.

BRIDE OF BOY MAY BE TRIED AS CHILD THIEF

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 11—Elaine Ludlam Wisecarver, 21, who eloped to Yuma, Ariz., last April with Ellsworth Wisecarver, 14-year-old Compton, Cal., schoolboy, may be required to stand trial on a child stealing charge, it was indicated today in a decision of the district court of appeals.

The appeal court overruled Superior Judge Clement D. Nye, who ordered Mrs. Wisecarver freed without trial last May on the ground that young Wisecarver went with her to Yuma willingly and that she employed no "fraud or deceit" in inducing him to go. In granting an appeal by the prosecution, the district court ordered that Mrs. Wisecarver stand trial to determine her guilt or innocence in the matter of alleged "fraud and deceit."

Her attorney announced that he would ask a rehearing of the case by the California supreme court.

FELON SERVES TERM, REFUSES TO LEAVE PEN

JOLIET, Ill., Dec. 11—"I won't get out," "Oh, yes you will," "Oh, no I won't." That, in effect, was the colloquy going on today between Emil Lustig, 52, who has completed his sentence of one year to 15 months in Stateville prison, but would like to stay on indefinitely, and Warden Joseph E. Ragen, whose bouden duty it is to put him out—by force if necessary.

Emil, who was sent up on a confidence game charge, has formed a real affection for the prison. The treatment and accommodations are okeh. Besides, as he added: "I have no place to go and I would like to stay here."

"Thanks for the compliment, but out you go; I can't keep you a day longer under the law," ruled Warden Ragen.

It looked as if the warden would soon have his way and Emil would be out again in the cold world.

JACKIE COOPER AND BIT PLAYER TO WED
HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 11—Jackie Cooper, 22-year-old former child star, and June Horne, 26, movie bit player of Glendale, will be married late today in the chapel of the Wilshire Methodist church.

BOND SALES AT \$930,700 MARK

Individual Quota For County 41 Percent Short Of Goal

Pickaway county's Sixth War Loan drive entered the final week Monday with 72.4 percent of the total of \$1,286,000 reached.

Chairman Clark Will of the War Finance committee announced sales through December 8 totaled 1,433 amounting to \$930,700. Only 39 percent of the individual quota has been reached, 1385 sales totaling \$306,100. Series E bond sales were 1,249 for \$110,200.

A. V. Osborn, local agent for the Norfolk and Western Railway, has advised the War Finance Committee that his company has allocated \$40,000 of its purchase of two percent treasury bonds to Pickaway county in keeping with the company's policy of allocating the purchase of government securities to the counties through which the railroad operates.

Mr. Will said this liberal allocation has been of considerable assistance to the committee in making its quota in this and former drives.

The committee also has been informed that through the efforts of Joel Backus, manager of the Silex company in Circleville, his company has allocated \$5,000 of purchases of Series C savings notes to Pickaway county during the current drive.

SOLDIER A W O L FROM CANADIAN AND U. S. ARMIES

CHICAGO, Dec. 11—A soldier wearing the uniform of a lance corporal of the Canadian army admitted today to military authorities that he was absent without leave in a big way—not from one country alone, but from two countries.

He gave his name as Jack R. Bresnahan, 21, of Chicago and said that once before, in 1942, he had returned to Chicago from an American army camp in California to visit his wife, Shirley, and had neglected to go back.

Instead, he enlisted some months later in the Canadian army. This time he again was in Chicago to see his wife and was seized just as he was about to board a train, for his camp in Nova Scotia, he said.

FRENCH START INQUIRY INTO PETAIN CHARGES
NEW YORK, Dec. 11—Investigation of charges against former chief of state, Henri Philippe Petain, and the fugitive ex-premier, Pierre Laval, started today before the Paris court of justice, according to an FCC recording of a radio Paris report.

BRITISH OPEN BIG SWEEP TO DRIVE OUT ELAS

Artillery, Planes, 25,000 Troops Striking Hard At Left Wing Rebels

ATHENS GOING HUNGRY

Situation In Strife-Torn Greek Capital Is Declared Critical

LONDON, Dec. 11—British forces started a large-scale sweep through the eastern suburbs of Athens at dawn today in an all-out attempt to drive the left-wing rebel ELAS forces from the strife-torn capital.

Reuters' Agency reported that the British were sending reinforcements to Athens where the ELAS were said to have concentrated some 25,000 troops around the city. Other ELAS columns were reported advancing on the Epirus district.

Reports from the headquarters of Gen. Ronald Scobie, British commander in Greece, disclosed that the heavy firing which prevailed through Sunday in Athens and its suburbs, slackened at dusk and that little shooting was heard throughout the night.

A torrential rainfall is believed to have driven many of the ELAS troops to shelter. British artillery and war planes went into action Sunday against the ELAS forces and sniping was reported throughout the capital.

Desertion Rumored

Reports that the Greek Air Force and parts of the Greek Navy had deserted to the rebels were current during the early part of the day, but later they received a flat denial from Adm. Sir John Cunningham of the Mediterranean fleet and Air Marshal Sir John Slessor, commander of the RAF in the Middle East.

British officials in Athens also announced that the rebels had

NAZI PLAN TO FLEE IN YANK PLANE BALKED

LONDON, Dec. 11—Pvt. Arthur Seher, of Putnam, Okla., related today how he captured four German prisoners who tried to take a pre-Christmas flight to the Reich in an American bomber.

A flicker of a match in the darkened nose of the plane, a Marauder bomber, disclosed the presence of the escaped prisoners who had made a break from a camp at Haydock Park, near Leigh, Lancashire, and sneaked into the American airfield.

The Nazis had started the plane's motors before the flicker of light gave them away, Seher said.

He searched the aircraft with a flashlight, but the Germans hid. He waited, and saw a pair of boots jutting through the bomb bay. He nabbed the Nazis. They were returned to British authorities.

SIX MORE JAP ADMIRALS SUNK BY AMERICANS

NEW YORK, Dec. 11—The deaths of six more Japanese admirals and a general were announced today by Radio Tokyo and Domei in broadcasts heard by FCC, raising to 73 the number of Nipponese sea lords who have perished since last May 7.

Domei reported that Maj. Gen. Tsunoe Iwabuchi who died in action on the Chinese continent was the Army leader—18th reported dead since last May 23.

VET TURNS HARD LUCK INTO CASH



THIS veteran of Pacific action turned his hospital confinement into a boom business when he discovered that he was adept at fixing fountain pens. Cpl. Roscoe Jackson, now convalescing at Ashford General hospital in White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., was wounded in both arms, both legs and face while fighting the Japs in New Guinea. He has earned \$2,000 in the last year.

Pain Dazed Doughboy At Ormoc Beach Misses Life's Greatest Drama

ORMOC BEACHHEAD, LEYTE, PHILIPPINES, Dec. 8—(Delmad) —A doughboy with a bullet hole through his body was too pain-dazed to witness the greatest drama of his life this afternoon as two doctors assisted by two medical corpsmen battled to save him.

All the way from the front on a litter in an amphibious tractor, pressed into service as an ambulance, the youngster writhed in an ever-thickening blood pool, unable to hear offers of cigarettes and water from sound GI's in the tractor.

Once while four men carried the litter from the road to an aid station, the wounded man rose on his elbow with a look of blank pain on his face. As soon as the litter was lowered into the aid station, Padre Daniel J. Hunt of St. Agatha's church, Milton, Mass., began whispering the rites of extreme unction into his unhearing ear while corpsmen tried to keep him from squirming completely off the litter.

Already the wounded man was lying so far forward on the litter that he tipped it up like a see-saw. The canvas of the litter was a half-inch deep in blood which the wounded man had rubbed into his black hair and all over his body.

He turned over onto his stomach and blood bubbled and gushed from the jagged hole left by a bullet leaving his body in back. The two doctors worked fast, one jabbing a plasma needle into

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JAPS AWAITING HEAVIER RAIDS BY SUPERFORTS

NEW YORK, Dec. 11—The Japanese people are awaiting "with perfect equanimity" much heavier bombing raids by United States B-29's, the Tokyo radio said today in a propaganda broadcast to North America.

The broadcast, reported by the FCC, said that the Japanese were convinced that it was their "destiny to overcome whatever rigors may await them in their firm stand against the enemy."

Ever since Brig. Gen. James H. Doolittle's raid on Tokyo on April 18, 1942, Japan has been "awaiting further attacks by the American air forces with complete confidence in the ability of the ground and flying forces to deal adequately with the invaders," the broadcast said, and added:

"Come what may, we can take it and shall repay with interest."

ANTI-FREEZE KILLS SOLDIER; EIGHT MADE ILL
WESTERLY, R. I., Dec. 11—The death of an enlisted man and the illness of eight others was blamed officially today on the drinking of anti-freeze solution drained from Navy planes.

YANKS DRIVE HARD TO GAIN GREAT PRIZE

One Of Most Savage Fights Of History Raging In Vicinity Of City

MACARTHUR TAKES ORMOC

Budapest Roaring With Sounds Of Battle As Soviets Close In

By International News Service
One of the most savage battles in the history of warfare raged in a network of little-known towns on the plains west of Cologne today with a great prize at stake—the city of Duren which controls the water power of the Roer river valley and sits astride a fine concrete highway that leads to the banks of the Rhine.

The mounting tempo of conflict in the Pacific saw American troops in firm control of bitterly-contested Ormoc on the island of Leyte in the Philippines and Japanese broadcasts reported two new B-29 Superfortress raids on Tokyo.

But the crux of battle for extinction of Nazi Germany flared in the streets of little villages that dot the countryside of Rhenish Prussia, some of them modern and some of them old, and all—at the present moment—meticulously constructed fortifications in which most of the houses, from cellar to attic, have been made over into garrisons of defense.

Third Moves Up
Troops of the United States Third Army slogged ahead ever deeper into the Saar valley, inching through enemy counter-attacks toward their main objective of Saarbrücken. But the principal impetus of Allied attack rested with the First Army under Lieut. Gen. Courtney H. Hodges, which hacked and jabbed at the crux of German defenses embracing Duren on all sides and it was a matter of hours or days at most before the city is invested.

Capture of Duren may result in considerable acceleration of the Allied drive toward the Rhine. Its seizure will be the most important acquisition since that of Aachen, for its situation is strategically important in the extreme and few obstacles lie between it and Cologne.

Originally a Roman settlement, Duren attained its greatest eminence during the rule of Charlemagne, for he summoned his assemblies to meet there and in the years when Berlin and central Germany were wastelands, this city played a dominant role in the affairs of Europe.

Aided By U. S.
In the pre-Hitlerite years when a democratic Germany was spending money received from the United States and Great Britain on public improvements, Duren received a great deal of attention. The water-power of the Roer river, which although narrow has a fast and turbulent current, was harnessed by means of a large concrete dam (Continued on Page Two)

HEAVY SNOWFALL BLANKETS CITY; COLD WAVE DUE

Heaviest snow of the winter was falling in Circleville Monday but the weather was not as bad as reported over most of the Midwest.

Rain which began during the night turned to snow about 8:30 a. m. and at noon was still falling heavily. Temperatures remained in the thirties, but were expected to drop Monday night.

The Ohio weather bureau said the state was on the edge of the season's heaviest snow storm which blanketed other midwestern states in depths up to 11 inches.

Temperatures over the state averaged in the thirties but were predicted to drop into the low twenties by Monday night. Continued cold, with strong winds and only occasional light snow was forecast for Tuesday.

CHILD COMES UP WITH NEW ONE FOR SANTA

NEW YORK, Dec. 11—Little Linda Lanham came up today with a new one for Santa Claus when she met a department store Kris Kingle for the first time.

Asked what she wanted for Christmas, the two-year-old tot—recalling, no doubt, recent family discussions—told the white-whiskered gent solemnly: "Cigaretts."

YANKS DRIVE HARD TO GAIN GREAT PRIZE

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which in all probabilities will soon become a battleground

The Germans may destroy it to inundate the surrounding countryside, but on the basis of previous performances it seems more likely they will utilize it as a fortress to delay Allied occupation until the last possible moment, even though this entails complete destruction of a city with a history dating back to the 13th century and architectural masterpieces that have no parallel in the more modern areas of the Reich lying to the east.

With a normal civilian population of more than 40,000, Duren is the most important city between Aachen and Cologne and it may safely be assumed that the Germans have made of it a gigantic fortress. The little nearby towns of Gey and Pier, now captured by American forces, were similarly fortified. Modern concrete structures and ancient stone buildings alike are being used by the Germans for emplacement of artillery, and suicide squads of Nazi fanatics fight with Luger pistols and fast-firing Schmeisser automatic rifles.

Hun Reinforcements
Allied aerial reconnaissance showed extensive German reinforcements east of the Roer along the river's entire length. There was indication that both the First and Ninth armies were preparing for simultaneous crossings of the river in a joint endeavor to overrun Duren and the city of Julich to the north and then sweep on toward Cologne in pursuance of a battle, that conceivably could break the last remaining strength of the German army.

On the Third Army front, Lieut. Gen. George S. Patton, Jr., and his veteran forces battered down numerous counter-attacks and fought into the streets of Sarreguemund after a new crossing of the Saar river. Similar bitter house-by-house fighting raged on the Seventh Army front in the vicinity of Colmar, where American troops in collaboration with French forces sought to eliminate the last Nazis on the Alsatian plain.

Several small towns near Colmar were captured after heavy fighting and there seemed to be no hope of survival for some 50,000 Nazis still in action with depleted supplies in the eastern reaches of the Vosges mountain range.

Ormoc Seized
From the Pacific theatre, Gen. Douglas MacArthur finally was able to report seizure of Ormoc, which left between 40,000 and 50,000 Japanese troops hopelessly trapped and now at the mercy of four American columns closing in on them from south, east and north.

The Japanese, Gen. MacArthur said in his official communique, are being destroyed "with little opportunity for effective retaliation."

American bombing and fighter planes carried out wide and effective sweeps against the Japanese concentrations and whipping convoys which attempted desperately but fruitlessly to relieve them in an effort to delay or even prevent MacArthur's reconquest of the Philippines.

Allied aircraft also roamed over German objectives in Europe, attacking military targets inside the Reich in great strength.

German forces in Italy under command of Nazi Field Marshal Gen. Albert Kesselring threw reserves into action against Allied forces closing in on Faenza and suffered heavy losses without regaining ground.

Battle At Budapest
Budapest roared with the sound of battle as Soviet forces closed in from three sides for an all-out attack on the Hungarian capital.

One column of the Soviet Third Ukrainian army closed in on the city within seven miles from the north while to the east the Red Army columns were only five miles away. From the south a third column had fought its way to within ten miles of the city.

Crack German SS troops and reserves of Nazi tanks and mobile guns which have been hoarded for the crisis have been thrown into the battle. Luftwaffe reserves were flown into the battlefield in an attempt to blunt the thrusts of Soviet tanks supported by large numbers of Red Army infantrymen armed with tommy guns.

Meanwhile other columns of Marshal Rodian Y. Malinovsky's forces fighting northeast of Budapest gained ground in their first exploratory thrusts toward the Bratislava gap — the gateway to Vienna now less than 110 miles away.

QUAKE N SOLOMONS
NEW YORK, Dec. 11—Fordham university officials reported today the recording of a "fairly severe" earthquake yesterday afternoon with the epicenter somewhere in the Solomon Islands.

The first shock was recorded at 12:43:48 p. m., EWT., and the second at 12:50:55.

LST—Coast Guard's Ugly Duckling, Beautiful in the Eyes of Our GI-Joes



AWAITING ORDERS—A Coast Guardman signals an LST which lies off shore, her bow doors open wide.

By JERRY DREYER
Central Press Correspondent

NEW YORK—Chalk up another first for that squat 325-foot hunk of metal and machinery familiarly called LST or, more technically, Landing Ship, Tank. The ingenuity of our shipbuilders has now turned her into an aircraft carrier!

Now don't visualize speedy fighter planes zooming from her deck. True, planes do take off and land there, but they are the tiny spotter planes that are performing such valiant service as the "eyes" of ship and land artillery.

That is just one of the tasks being done by the versatile craft, which, from the yachtsman's point of view, is no thing of beauty. She is not intended to be.

From stern to bow the LST is strictly utilitarian, designed to do a specific job. Needless to say she is doing the job in a superlative manner.

When invasion of enemy territory consisted of only talk and preparations, it was decided that a "mule" was a craft that could carry a tremendous load for its size and beach it under its own power.

At the same time, it was important that the craft could discharge cargo in jig time and then go back for more and still more. All this was based on the theory that invasion, to be successful, must be a speedy maneuver.

However, a big problem loomed before the Shipbuilders Council of America, whose yards were to turn out the invasion ships. The proposed LST had to be so constructed that it could cross oceans under its own power. And that, obviously, called for a vessel with a deep draft. But it stands to reason that a deep draft vessel could not operate or be beached in shallow water. It was deep draft versus shallow draft.

The designers wrestled with these contrary specifications and came up with an answer that made the LST both deep and shallow draft, each at the proper time.

They decided to install tremen-



AS CARRIER—This LST has been converted into a baby aircraft carrier.

dous water tanks in the ship. When these were filled, for an ocean or channel crossing, they would give the LST the deep draft she needed to be sea-worthy.

As the LST approached the objective and prepared to land material and men, pumps would go to work to empty tanks and thus provide the shallow draft.

"Born" in 1942
Other "bugs" were ironed out in early 1942 the ship builders were given the green light. They rolled up their sleeves and started from scratch and by October of the same year the first LST had been launched, completed trial runs and had been commissioned.

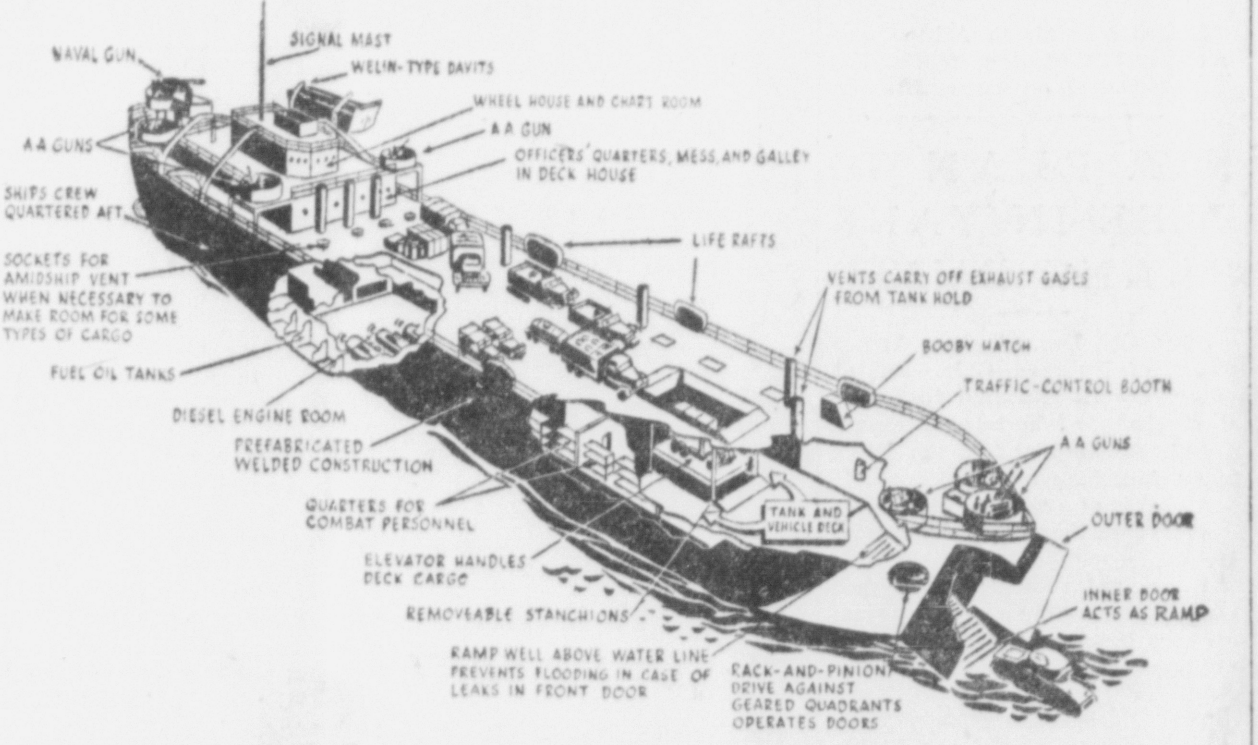
From that time on, the LST has been an important cog in every invasion. Its barndoor-like bow has grated high and dry on scores of invasion shores, many times under

storm of enemy fire. The heavy steel doors on the bow have swung open and down the ramp have passed the men, munitions, machines and other material that are steadily hurled back the foe on both sides of the world.

The LST is no longer on the secret list. The enemy knows a lot about them—but that was information that came to him the hard way.

Despite the fact that he had a head-start of years in preparing for this war he was not visionary enough to realize the need for craft of this type.

The enemy found out—but too late. Some day armadas of them will push their squat noses up on the shores of Japan. And when that happens, we can count on LST's doing their full share.



THIS IS AN LST—Artist's sketch shows the "innards" of an LST, premier invasion craft of the Allies.

CITY MOTORIST DRAWS \$20 FINE AFTER ACCIDENT

Dessell Kiger, Circleville, was fined \$20 and costs on charges of reckless operation by Mayor Ben H. Gordon Sunday night following an accident on Route 23, north of South Bloomfield.

Deputy Sheriff Vern Pontius and Patrolman F. J. Bellner of the Columbus state highway patrol station reported Kiger, attempting to pass a truck, operated by Joseph Carey, Huntington, W. Va., hit the truck forcing it from the road. The truck went off the road across a ditch, spilled baled hay on the front porch of a tenant house on the Charles Moss farm, and stopped in a field. Kiger's car also went off the road and stopped in a field.

No one was injured, the officers said, but the car and truck were damaged.

MARRIAGE LICENSE
Application for marriage license was filed Saturday in probate court by Charles Leslie Selander, Jr., 22, Columbus, soldier, and Jessie Margaret Baum, Duvall, teacher.

ABERDEEN-ANGUS GROUP TO AWARD 4-H PRIZES

Pickaway County Aberdeen-Angus association members will meet Wednesday night in Betz restaurant.

Prizes will be awarded to 4-H boys Angus clubs and officers of the organization will be elected at the meeting.

SLATTERY RESIGNS
WASHINGTON, Dec. 11—The White House announced today that Harry Slattery, who has been a subject of controversy in congressional and White House circles during the last year, has resigned as administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration. President Roosevelt received Slattery's resignation early last week. The White House disclosed today, Slattery asked that it be effective immediately.

PLAN JERSEY CLUB
Plans for the organization of a Jersey cattle organization in Pickaway county will be made at a meeting of local Jersey breeders in the county agricultural agent's office Tuesday at 8 p. m.

DRAFT REVIEW TO BE ORDERED BY NSS CHIEF

All In 26-37 Age Group Not In War Industry Subject To Call

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subject to induction and those leaving critically-listed occupations will be reclassified. Inductees will replace men released from the armed forces for work in war plants.

The renewed draft policy was seen as another step in the government's determination to meet Army demands for some 300,000 workers in critical war programs. It was further heightened by the WPB disclosure that not one of the major categories of combat munitions met October 1 schedules although vital programs as a whole increased six per cent over September.

The WPB report said that October munitions production valued at \$5,240,000,000 was virtually unchanged from September, but dropped two per cent under the revised first of the month schedule.

Byrnes' edict for a fine-tooth examination of draft lists to assure extra manpower for revamped war production schedules was also in line with WPB, WMC and Army and Navy warnings that the tempo of Allied offensives in Europe and the Pacific was reaching climatic proportions and adequate backlogs of material were needed to sustain the drives.

Undersecretary of War Robert P. Patterson urged Americans to stay on their war jobs and to concentrate on backing the armed forces for victory. He told employers that their "first order of business must be war production, not conversion to peacetime production." Workers were told to "stay on that war job, or take one if you are needed."

WPB emphasized that production of heavy artillery ammunition must increase 55 per cent during November and December over the October rate to meet 1944 stated requirements and added that "even this goal is below computed strategic requirements."

In its breakdown of October output, WPB reported that production of guns, fire control equipment, combat and motor vehicles each gained four per cent; ammunition and ships were unchanged, and communication and electronic equipment increased five per cent, but remained six per cent below revised monthly schedules.

Programs currently behind schedule include heavy bombers, heavy ammunition and artillery, heavy trucks and tires, assault transports and cargo ships, radar, cotton duck and spare parts for the fleet.

"There is no one reason why these programs are lagging behind production goals," WPB said, "and there is no single solution to the problem of getting them up to schedule."

MARKETS

CASH MARKET
Cash quotations made to farmers in Circleville:
Cream, Premium 47
Cream, Regular 44
Eggs 42

POULTRY
Heavy Springers 28
Heavy Hens 21
Leghorn Hens 11
Old Roosters 12
Wheat 1.62
No. 2 Yellow Corn 1.10
No. 2 White Corn 1.23
Soybeans 2.04

WHEAT
Dec-1944 114 1/2
May-1945 112 1/2
July-1945 111 1/2
Dec-1944 114 1/2
May-1945 112 1/2
July-1945 111 1/2

CORN
Dec-1944 114 1/2
May-1945 112 1/2
July-1945 111 1/2
Dec-1944 114 1/2
May-1945 112 1/2
July-1945 111 1/2

CLOSING LIVESTOCK MARKET
Provided by Farm Bureau CHICAGO
RECEIPTS—2,000, 25-35 Higher: 200 to 270 lbs., \$14.05; 270 to 300 lbs., \$14.05; 300 to 350 lbs., \$14.25; 350 to 400 lbs., \$14.50; 400 to 450 lbs., \$14.75; 450 to 500 lbs., \$15.00; 500 to 550 lbs., \$15.25; 550 to 600 lbs., \$15.50; 600 to 650 lbs., \$15.75; 650 to 700 lbs., \$16.00; 700 to 750 lbs., \$16.25; 750 to 800 lbs., \$16.50; 800 to 850 lbs., \$16.75; 850 to 900 lbs., \$17.00; 900 to 950 lbs., \$17.25; 950 to 1,000 lbs., \$17.50.

CIRCLE 2 BIG HITS 2
TONITE 2 HITS!
JOHN WAYNE
— in —
"STAGECOACH"

PLUS HIT NO. 2
Eleanor Powell
Sophie Tucker
Cab Calloway
— in —
Sensations of 1945

Pain Dazed Doughboy At Ormoc Beach Misses Life's Greatest Drama

To the People of this Community

You may be wondering what one man can do to help win a war. We refer you to the late Private John W. Dutko of Homer City, Pa. German guns had his battalion pinned down in a trench on the road to Rome. Armed with an automatic rifle and hand grenades he advanced toward an 88-mm. cannon and three machine gun nests. Running through a hail of gunfire, he silenced the first machine gun by killing its two-man crew with a grenade.

Nazi machine gunners in the second nest wounded him but he staggered on toward the cannon. With a mighty effort he killed all five of the cannon crew with a long burst from his rifle. Then he swung his rifle toward the second machine gun nest, killing the two Germans who had just wounded him. The third machine gun nest still blazed away, hitting him again. As the final burst from his "heater" cut down the remaining two Nazi gunners, he stumbled into their nest where he fell dead over their bodies.

You are not asked in the Sixth War Loan to make a contribution like that of Private Dutko to help the defeat of Japan. But Victory also is made up of individual efforts of millions of Americans at home and on the fighting fronts. How about dedicating your extra \$100 War Bond purchase today to fighters like Private Dutko?

THE EDITOR.

GREAT BRITISH BATTLE FLEET READY FOR JAPS

LONDON, Dec. 11—The flag of Adm. Sir Bruce Fraser flew today at the helm of one of the greatest battle fleets in British history, a force which the London Daily Express described as capable of challenging the entire surviving naval force of Japan.

Disclosure by the British admiralty that the newly formed fleet will operate in the Pacific came as the first major step to implement Prime Minister Winston Churchill's promise that Britain will join the United States in a hand-in-hand effort to crush Japan.

The London Express said that Sir Bruce's ships are capable of meeting the entire remaining strength of the Japanese navy in a "decisive battle."

Britain's full force, directed by Adm. Fraser, will not affect the chain of command in the Pacific theatre which will remain under the American admiral, Chester W. Nimitz, commander in chief of the United States Pacific fleet and Pacific ocean areas. Adm. Fraser will be responsible to Adm. Nimitz as well as the British admiralty.

With Sir Bruce's appointment came the announcement that Adm. Sir Arthur J. Power would be commander of the East Indies section of the fleet.

Sinking of the German battleship Tirpitz in Norwegian waters and general improvement of the naval war in European waters has permitted the British to send their seapower against Japan.

CALF CLAIMS AWARDS
WALDBROOK, ORE.—When La Velle Breen, a young farm girl, received a check for awards won by a calf at a 4-H Club fair, she left it on the seat of her car. Apparently knowing the check really belonged to her, the heifer reached in and ate it up. The fair board heard the story and sent Miss Breen a new check.

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BRITISH OPEN BIG SWEEP TO DRIVE OUT ELAS

Artillery, Planes, 25,000 Troops Striking Hard At Left Wing Rebels

(Continued from Page One)
made no peace overtures to Gen. Ronald Scobie, chief of the British forces in Greece.

At the same time officials said there was no confirmation of rumors that the EAM (the left-wing National Liberation Party) and the ELAS (the EAM militia) had split on their policy of resistance.

Meanwhile the situation of the hungry civilian population in Athens, where the battle is centered, is becoming increasingly critical. The Anglo-American Relief Association which planned to set up field kitchens for the Athenians was forced to abandon the program because of the severity of the fighting.

Last reports from Piraeus, the port of Athens, revealed that the ELAS was in control of the major portion of the city and subjected British naval headquarters to heavy shelling.

Despite bitter opposition, however, the British managed to clear the rebels from a part of the port.

The insurgents also were reported increasingly active in the provinces, particularly in Salonika and Patras where they are throwing up earthworks and constructing other fortifications.

Meanwhile an official report from Janina told of a huge demonstration by the population in favor of the government of Premier Georges Papandreou and the British.

The premier issued a formal statement in which he declared that the civil war would end "at whatever moment the leaders of the extreme left declared they were ready to keep their word in regard to the disbanding and disarming of the partisan forces."

Reports were current in London political circles that Harold Macmillan, British resident minister attached to Mediterranean headquarters, had cancelled a proposed trip to Washington and was leaving for Athens in the near future.

It is believed he will be given full authority to act for Britain in attempts to bring the civil war to a close.

SPEEDER FINED

Charged by state highway patrolmen with exceeding the speed limit on Route 23, Charles Milton Hancor, Circleville, was fined \$10 and costs by Mayor Ben H. Gordon Sunday night.

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NEWS OF OUR MEN and WOMEN IN UNIFORM

AN EIGHTH AIR FORCE BOMBER STATION, England—Promotion of Thomas C. Dewey, 21, of Circleville, from corporal to sergeant, has been announced at the 388th Bomber Group, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel Chester C. Cox, of Superior, Wis.

Sergeant Dewey is waist gunner on an Eighth Air Force B-17 Flying Fortress that has been taking part in the bombing attacks on Nazi war industries and military

targets in support of Allied ground forces.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dewey, of 220 South Scioto street. He was employed by the Western Electric Company at Cleveland before entering the AAF in February, 1943.

Private First Class Josef E. Louis, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Louis, of New Holland, who has been in camp at Camp Shelby, Miss., for the last six months, has a new address: Pfc. Josef E. Louis, ASN 35293675, Battery A-F A. Bn., APO 17665, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. Pfc. Louis entered service November 4, 1943.

Sergeant Clarence H. England would appreciate Christmas and New Year's cards from friends at home. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur England, South Pickaway street, and a brother of Lyman England, of Fairview avenue. His address is: 709 Ord. L. M. Co., APO 9, New York, N. Y. He has received Christmas packages in Germany.

Seaman 2/c James O. Maynard, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Maynard, of Ashville Route 2, has arrived home from Great Lakes U. S. N. T. C. He will return there for orders after passing a nine-day leave at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Bowdle, of New Holland, Route 1, have two sons in army service, Private Eliza C. Bowdle, 24, who entered service October 10, 1941, and Private Eugene N. Bowdle, 22, who was inducted October 11, 1944. Pvt. Eliza C. Bowdle is now in Southern France where his address is 35419502, APO 772, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y. He attended the Clarkburg school and was engaged in farming. His wife, Mrs. Bessie Bowdle, lives in Columbus. Eugene, whose wife, Mrs. Virginia Bowdle and son, Don Eugene, live with his parents, is now having basic training at Camp Blanding, Fla. His address is: 35885972, B-220-65, I. R. T. C.

Correct address of Corporal Carl Gulick is: ASN 15075956, K. Co., 174th Inf. Regt., c/o Postmaster, Camp Gruber, Okla. He has just been transferred from Camp Chaffee, Ark.

Billy Truitt would like for his friends to write to him. This is his new address: Billy S. Truitt, F 2/c, 1st Bat., Brks., 0144, Naval Receiving station, Shoemaker, Calif. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Truitt, of Mt. Sterling Route 3.

Miss Mary Kathryn Brunks, Washington township Friday received the Purple Heart awarded to James E. Smith when he was wounded while fighting in Europe in July. He is a brother of Corporal Russell B. Smith, reported killed in action November 18. They are sons of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Smith, Washington township.

Dr. E. L. Montgomery, who arrived in the United States about three weeks ago after a long period of duty in the South Pacific, has been transferred from an army hospital in San Francisco, Calif., to Fletcher General Hospital, Cambridge, for treatment of a hyperthyroid condition. Mrs. Montgomery is in Cambridge for the present.

HARRISON COPS TITLE
MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 11—Staff Sgt. E. J. "Dutch" Harrison of Wright Field, Dayton, O., took away with him today the \$2,500 grand prize of the Miami open golf tournament, demonstrating his 18 months in the Army have done nothing to impair his old-time wizardry. He had to have it on the last nine Sunday, for his 3 under par 32 gave him a 72-hole 6-under-par total of 274, just enough to beat Henry Picard of Harrisburg, Pa., by a single stroke.

BOMAR CHAMP
CHICAGO, Dec. 11—Buddy Bomar of Chicago and formerly of Dallas, Tex., reigned today as the new king of the match game bowling realm, the second national crown he has captured in the last seven months. He won his new title in the fourth annual national all-star tournament in Chicago in the final round-robin against the 11 qualifiers in the preliminary rounds and four seeded experts, he being the fifth.

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Bits on Books

By Enid Denham

"Great Time to Be Alive", by Harry Emerson Fosdick is an inspirational book of sermons, many of them representative of the problems brought to Fosdick at this time. They are sermons on Christianity in wartime, a guide to successful Christian living in a world where no "dry as dust" religion can penetrate. As in his "On being a Real Person", Dr. Fosdick speaks directly to our needs, with a keen insight to diagnose our strength and our weaknesses, whether as individuals or as groups. An honest impelling book, "A great time to be alive," he says "a time to go back to fundamental truths and fundamental laws for sound convictions, for wisdom and courage to face and create change."

"Normal Lives for the Disabled", by Edna Yost and Lillian Gilbreth, two experienced workers in the field of industrial and social rehabilitation is written primarily for the disabled, giving such information as to what agencies to get in touch with for the varying circumstances, how families can give understanding help in the rebuilding of health. Emphasis on the psychological approach of the patient in his gradual readjustment and return to normalcy.

And now for some Christmas books, beloved by old and young. There is first of all "Lullaby"; "Why the Pussy Cat Washes himself so Often", by Josephine Bernhardt, a lovely little folk tale of Poland telling how the little dusty kitten first carefully washes then purrs the restless Christ Child to sleep. Beautiful drawings in the

margins in Polish colors and design make this a truly fascinating story.

"Snow before Christmas", by Tasha Tudor is the story of an old fashioned Christmas and the snowy days preceding it, when two little children listened to Granny's stories before an open fire went to school in the valley or built snow horses and rode them by moonlight 'til the fairies pulled their coats and Mama called them to bed." Best of all of course was the day before Christmas when all the little cousins arrived to help celebrate Christmas and the tree was cut and hauled into the house while one waited "forever for it to be changed into a magic tree with shining balls and candles." Tasha Tudor's charming watercolors make this an unforgettable little book.

"Animals Christmas", by Anne Eaton and illustrated by Valenti Angelo is an engaging book of poems and stories about animals and their way of celebrating Christmas.

There are lovely books of song and carols, one called "Sing for Christmas", by Opal Wheeler with the most breath taking illustrations to go with the lovely music and a great many copies of that

immortal Visit of Saint Nicholas known as "The Night Before Christmas", by Clement Moore, "The Bird's Christmas Carol", by Wiggins, Dickens' "Christmas Carol", of Old Scrooge and Tiny Tim, and many books of stories and legends and ways of keeping Christmas.

Grapevines were growing in America as far back as history records. Lief Erickson found them growing on the North American continent, and Lief Erickson named his discovery Vinland.

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HARRY F. WURM DIES SUDDENLY AT LOCKBOURNE

Funeral will be held at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the Snyder funeral home, Mt. Sterling, for Harry F. Wurm, 55, for 25 years Mt. Sterling's fire chief.

Mr. Wurm, a civilian fireman at Lockbourne Army Air Base, died of a heart attack Saturday night while fighting a fire in a ground school building at the base. He was pulling a hose from a truck when he collapsed. He was taken to the base hospital and died there at 11:30 p. m. Mr. Wurm joined the base fire department in March, 1943.

A lifelong resident of Mt. Sterling, Mr. Wurm served overseas in World War I as a corporal with a supply outfit. He was commander of Mt. Sterling Post No. 417 of the American Legion and had been active in Legion activities throughout the state. He was also a member of F. & A. M. Lodge No. 269 of Mt. Sterling.

His wife, Ethel, is his only survivor.

Burial will be in the Mt. Sterling cemetery. Public relations officers at Lockbourne said the fire was confined to the corner of a building in which approximately 30 pay telephone stations are located for the convenience of soldiers for long distance calls. The fire lasted for about 45 minutes. Damage was unofficially estimated at between \$8,000 and \$10,000.

The Connaught tunnel in Canada goes through the Selkirk mountains, under Rogers Pass, British Columbia, on the Canadian Pacific railway, is double track, and five miles long. It was completed in 1916.

PAUL FUNERAL

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Jane Paul, 76, who died Saturday at her home, 30 Midland avenue, Columbus, after a short illness, will be Tuesday at 10:30 a. m. in the Denton, Donaldson and Kuhn funeral chapel of that city. Burial will be in Green Lawn cemetery, Columbus. Mrs. Paul, the widow of John Paul, was born in Coshocton. She leaves three grandchildren, Miss Jane Paul, of West High street, Circleville; Thomas E. Paul, Osborn, and John R. Paul, of the U. S. Navy.

OPTIMIST

PUEBLO, Colo.—Justice of Peace S. A. Bates wanted to complete his marriage roster with a wedding from every state, so he advertised a free wedding for any couples appearing from Vermont and New Hampshire. Eventually a middle-aged man walked in, reminded the justice of his offer and said he was from Vermont. Bates said "Fine. Where is the bride?"

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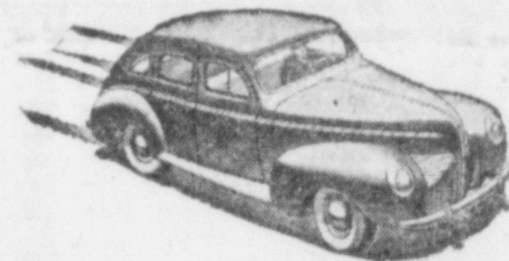


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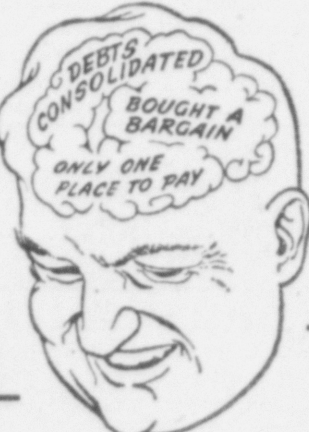
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WAR TOLL
Pickaway county casualties in World War I
Killed in action 19
Killed or died in line of duty 10
Prisoners of war 29
Killed in action 20
Wounded 31
(These totals are unofficial, being based on reports compiled by The Herald on information received by next of kin from government sources.)

KILLED IN ACTION
Willbur Adkins
Eugene Countryman
Milburn Devors, Jr.
Robert A. Mosser
Herschel V. Hinton
Lyle H. Miner
Earl Heidecker, Jr.
Mark Crawford
Harold Keller
Raymond A. Ferguson
Lawrence Reed
Wm. J. Schlarp
George E. Meyers
Hert W. Rieker
Joseph G. Thomas
Cecil W. Adkins
Robert A. Bowsher
Robert Christensen
Shirley E. Brown
Russell B. Smith

KILLED OR DIED IN LINE OF DUTY
Richard A. Hedges
Glenn Cook
John (Jack) Goodchild, Jr.
Sam Fetherall
George Reeser
Wade Fry
Guy Ankrom
Paul Steyer
Charles W. Hoover
John Ralph Wickline

PRISONERS OF WAR
Jack White
Orville Shirley
Robert Liveray
Burnell Goodman
Russell Goodman
Ved Enock
Russell Lovensheimer
Harold Walsh
Lyman Jones, Jr.
Lester Noggle
J. W. (Billy) Persinger
David C. Betts
Robert Carpenter
William H. Drake
Hert Timmons
Lawrence Wolford
Benjamin Johnson
Merle E. Garrett
Joseph Hickey
Steve Sturgell
Winfred E. Bidwell
Charles Carman, Jr.
George O'Day
Charles M. Seall
Ralph Whitesides
Donald W. Henry

MISSING IN ACTION
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Ralph Moorhead
Marion Hunt
Earl White
Richard G. Hean
Robert J. Redman
James Henderson
Willard W. Good
Walter Lawhorn
Charles Rolfe
Paul Hollis

WOUNDED
Paul Neff
Ira Myers, Jr.
James F. Sonners
Marvin Stout
Link Brown
Albert Neff
Francis Temple
Ansel Root
Clarence Robinson, Jr.
Fred A. Smith
George Curtin
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James Nelson Kinser
Gilbert Dowden, Jr.
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THE NEXT BOOM

ONE of the things to be expected after this war is the greatest building boom in human history. There will have to be construction of homes and office buildings, factories and other structures of a thousand kinds, to make up for the delayed building of these war times and the immense destruction in the war-swept countries.

It is to be expected that a great deal of such construction will be novel and interesting. There will be new types of houses, stores, schools, churches, bridges and many other things. New materials and styles will appear. There will be so many structures to build, and so many ideas and methods for building, that large areas may seem almost like a new world.

All this, of course, depends on assurance of peace and international cooperation for at least two generations. Who will guarantee them, and how?

NAZISM BEFORE NAZIS

ZABERN in Alsace, recently captured by the Allies, won fame some 30 years ago when the German army put on an exhibition. Because some one in a crowd had sneered at passing troops, the officers ran amuck, and a lieutenant sabered a lame shoemaker.

The Germany of 1913 had not gone 100 percent militarist, in the Reichstag or parliament, so a great hullabaloo was raised. The chancellor, the well-meaning but feeble Theobald von Bethmann-Hellweg, caused further tumult when he was understood to say that the army stood above the civilian authorities. The Reichstag immediately passed a vote of condemnation. In a popularly ruled country this would have forced him out of office, but Germany under the Kaiser was not a popularly ruled country. Bethmann-Hellweg remained in office, and the offending lieutenant was soon after promoted. This was only one of many reasons why the Alsations welcomed the French reconquest in 1918.

The Nazis had not then been heard of, but Nazism thrived in Germany even then.

Secretary Hull takes his place in history beside those other famous Tennesseans, Andrew Jackson and Andrew Johnson. History may indicate that Mr. Hull is not the least great of the three.

Honest to gosh, there's as much tobacco as ever. The only trouble is, so many of us don't know how to get hold of it.

Inside WASHINGTON

"Inside Information" So-Called Authorities
Cheap in Washington Confradict Each Other

By HELEN ESSARY
Central Press Columnist

WASHINGTON—If the ears of a Washingtonian flap more than most ears, it is because the poor creature keeps hearing such contradictory pieces of "inside information."

For example, yesterday morning A Man in the Know said to me: "Anybody who thinks the appointment of Ed Stettinius as secretary of state leaves Jimmie Byrnes out on a limb just doesn't know what is going on in the capital."

Certainly Jimmie was boosted to succeed Cordell Hull. Jimmie has been boosted lately for almost every important office except the presidency.

The fact that Jimmie doesn't get these stray posts doesn't mean he is out of favor. On the contrary, Jimmie Byrnes is just about running the government. Certainly on the domestic front. His title of war mobilization chief isn't only a title. Every appointment that is made goes over his desk. His O. K. is desired by the president on every important policy. Jimmie Byrnes is sitting prettier than he ever was.

What about Harry Hopkins? ... Harry's all right as a confidential friend and adviser. A talker-over on this and that. But it is Mr. Byrnes who really calls the cards. He reorganized the WPB. He put Chairman Krug in. He'll put him out, and other chairmen, too, if he doesn't make good.

This conversation, mind you, took place in the morning. At luncheon I talked with another Man in the Know. Said he: "It's simply amazing how that fellow Hopkins hangs on. He is the real policy maker of this administration at home and abroad."

"You heard he hadn't the influence he used to have?" ... "Rubbish! I'd rather have Harry Hopkins on my side than any man in the country."

So there, ladies and gentlemen. Listen in and take your choice.

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10—The outbreak of political gangsterism in Greece (diplomatically called a "revolution") is being described as the crises of the liberation of Europe from the Nazis, but somehow it does not make sense. Our columnists and commentators are telling their type-writers and microphones the British were trying to run things arbitrarily in Greece, and also in Italy where the British said they would not like Count Sforza as premier. Indeed our state department spoke out, unasked, at the height of the crisis, in favor of letting all these nations decide for themselves what they want, thereby inflicting a mortal diplomatic wound upon the British position.

Now no voice can possibly be raised against a state department policy of self-determination. As a policy it expresses what all America, without important dissent, would like to see developed equitably and justly. But the British themselves are expressing the same policy. They favor self-determination. What, then, is wrong? Why the argument?

The truth is the root of the trouble which caused anti-Nazis to take to machine guns against each other in Greece is the same which has less riotously stalemated a political solution in Italy, and also the same which lurks in every nation in the world today, notably France and China. While we argue the justice or injustice of such immediate matters as whether Sforza is being fairly treated by the British, and whether the Greek rightists have given the leftists sufficient power, the real crisis which has come to a head there and will come elsewhere is simply this: the British had control; the communist-radicals want it.

Now do not stop reading here. This is no analysis of communism. Just an effort to sift the facts of the most important question in the world in search of a solution (and it may take me two columns to set them forth fairly and justly.) Let us agree at the outset that Russia and the radical-communist element in European nations is there to stay and what we want is peace, the problem being how to strive for it.

Consider Greece first. It is the only country in Europe where the British managed to maintain their influence at par. You hear of no revolution from Rumania or Yugoslavia. The Russians took those. In Yugoslavia their Tito is in complete control, having suppressed the other anti-Nazi faction (Greece in reverse.)

From the start of this war, Greek authorities here have secretly feared Russia would take them too, in the end. The British got in there first, occupied the country, and a Greek government friendly to Britain was established. Joint Anglo-American occupation of Italy kept the communist element here from full power also, but the leftists were represented in both the governments of Greece and Italy, though not content with their power.

Now our people do not generally see things this way. They do not know Europe. They judge European developments against their own ideals. Consequently they righteously advocate "self-determination," which is what they would prescribe for themselves. But the effect of pressing self-determination today in Greece and Italy is to aid the cause of the radical-communist elements against the pro-British elements (there are no others in position for leadership.)

Strangely, we do not with equal ardor (Continued on Page Eight)

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"Daddy's busy. Go play with your encyclopedias!"

DIET AND HEALTH

Air and Sunshine In Tuberculosis

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M.D.

IN MY articles on the campaign against tuberculosis published during the last few weeks and aimed directly at helping the sale of the Christmas seals of the

Dr. Clendening will answer questions of general interest only, and then only through his column.

National Tuberculosis Society, I have dealt mainly with the lung form of the disease. Tuberculosis, however, affects other parts of the body—skin, bones, the kidneys and the eyes.

In discussing the treatment of tuberculosis of the lungs I said that the modern idea was that surgical collapse is the most important item in treatment—and that rest and open air and climate and sunlight upon which we depended entirely in other days, while they still should be used as adjunct methods, are not considered as of such primary importance nowadays.

Scholarly Book

This, of course, does not apply to the other forms of tuberculosis and I am reminded by the receipt of a scholarly book by Dr. Edgar Meyer, of Cornell University Medical College, on *Radiation and Climate Therapy in All Forms of Tuberculosis*, of the obligation to give sunlight and artificial sunlight and climate their proper credit.

The teachings of the Swiss physician, Rollier, in the treatment of bone and joint tuberculosis, especially have tended to be forgotten. His sanitarium in the Swiss Alps always showed the spectacle of children out in the open air exposed to the bright sunlight practically naked with nothing but a loin cloth while snow was all over the ground and they were skiing and tobogganing or snowballing each other, or, if too sick to be athletic, sitting on the sidelines and enjoying the fun.

Rollier made practical application of the old catch question the anatomy examiners used to ask—

"What is the largest organ of the human body?" The answer was—"The skin." He used to say that those of us who consider ourselves members of Western civilization regard with complacent superiority the way other people maltreat their bodies—for instance, the Chinese women's deforming of their feet, yet entirely forget the insults we heap on the skin, this most important of our organs. We smother it with clothing, we choke it with overheated houses, we deprive it of air and sunlight.

Air and Sun

The sight of Rollier's little patients out in the cold winter sunshine perfectly comfortable with nothing on was enough to encourage one to accept his point of view.

Certainly his results were good. Bone and joint tuberculosis, and tuberculosis of the lymph nodes in the neck, with little help from surgery healed with great celerity. Draining sinuses stopped and healed.

According to the late Leroy Peters, of Albuquerque, New Mexico, there is only a relatively small part of the United States which is adapted to sunlight treatment throughout the year. This is the southwestern plateau country at elevations of 3,000 to 7,000 feet. Both extreme cold and extreme heat as of the desert in summer are detrimental. Neither intense cold or blistering heat is conducive to a happy nervous state in the white man even in health. The region includes Colorado, New Mexico, northern Arizona and El Paso, Texas.

Compare Denver's 69 per cent of annual sunshine, Santa Fe's 76 per cent, Albuquerque's 70 per cent with Manila's 51 per cent, New York's 56 per cent and Chicago's 57 per cent.

"Even if it had no other function than the prevention of colds, sunbathing would be worthwhile," according to Dr. Peters. If some fond white parent admonishes the Indian mother because her baby has too few clothes, she will reply—her baby is all face and does not fear colds.

Looking Back in Pickaway County

FIVE YEARS AGO

T. D. Harman, Pittsburgh, Pa., came from that city to spend the

holidays at his home on West Mound street.

Continuing to show a gain each month since the beginning of the year, postal receipts at the Circleville Postoffice jumped again in November over that month of a year before.

Coming by airplane from Springfield, Budd Neer visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Strous, of Salt Creek township, landing the plane in an adjoining field.

10 YEARS AGO

Walter B. Toole, of Jamaica, Long Island, was a weekend guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowe, of East Franklin street.

Miss Elizabeth Dunlap, West Franklin street, entertained at a pre-holiday dinner party for 22 guests at the Pickaway Country club.

Harold Manbeavers, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Manbeavers, of West Water street, suffered a broken left arm when he slipped on ice while running along Hargus creek.

25 YEARS AGO

Miss Beas Willis, of Clarkburg, was one of 11 girls chosen to compose the Magic Mirror section of the Makio, annual booklet of the Ohio State university.

Stanley Noggle, driver for the

ROMANTIC MASQUERADE

by MARIE BLIZARD

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CHAPTER ONE

TWENTY-NINE . . . twenty-nine . . . twenty-nine. It must be a flat car wheel right under her Pullman chair, Daphne decided; it couldn't be her subconscious flinging that figure into her mind with such an insistent rhythm. "So I'm twenty-nine, not too young, not too old. Just the right age." The words formed in her mind. The impressionable, the foolish, hurting years were over. Raising her eyes, Daphne was struck with a fond and keen sense of excitement as the Pullman windows revealed scenes that she had never forgotten through all the years she had been away.

Undulating fields and gladed woodlands in the fresh dress of early April, farmland patches with weather-beaten barns and clean little houses, tidy villages, and roads like lustrous ribbons on a carpet of yellow and green sped past her. fleetingly she glimpsed remembered names on station platforms: Ashport, Medbury, Corinth. Corinth was less than an hour's ride from North Wintridge.

Daphne Willoughby was coming home. Home to North Wintridge from Paris and London, from Naples and New York. And between Naples and New York, there had been a good many other places that were best forgotten. Grubby, obscure cities and shabby towns that were like bad dreams which she would treat forever more as such.

That would be part of closing the door on her memories, now that a new life was beginning.

It would not be hard to do, Daphne thought. She was an old hand at the art of presenting the false facade of appearances. She'd been working at it for most of the last twelve years, and no one knew, now that Carlo was dead, the shabby, humiliating life that had been hers. Least of all, the friends in North Wintridge with whom she would live for the rest of her life. With luck, she crossed her fingers.

If any girl ought to believe in luck, she was that girl. All Daphne had to do was to let her mind drift back to that morning less than a month ago—although drifting was hardly the way to describe the way her mind snapped back from its every excursion to the wonders that began on that morning when the letter came.

There wasn't anything very different about the way that day started. For thirteen hundred and ninety-two days, Sundays excepted, she'd wakened every morning to the

uninviting summons of her alarm clock. And to the realization that she was technically a career girl, now that Carlo was dead, and the life she'd hated down to the depths of her soul was over.

Occasionally it occurred to her that she had a right to all that life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness can mean. Unfortunately, this early morning meditation usually led to the more pertinent realization that Corinne Hollis expected her to be at the shop well before nine, and that decorating jobs at thirty-a-week were not easy to find in New York.

Up at eight that morning, it was the same old thing: the choice of

clothes. That was fun. The call to tell Corinne the news was fun, too. Corinne was a slave-driver, but she was a good sort. She had said, "You can always get your job back when you've spent your money."

Daphne was not going back. She borrowed a little deeper into her chair. She was through with small rooms, and lonely cities. Yes, and with men.

She had eight years of marriage, and been a widow for four. All she wanted was to live singly, and gracefully. Daphne had long been preparing for that day, not knowing that it would ever come. And there was assurance in Kate Denison's letter in her handbag.



The pullman windows revealed scenes that Daphne had never forgotten.

one of two dresses, rubbers or no rubbers; an eye on her make-up and the other on the clock; getting on her hat and coat, fishing for a nickel for the subway; looking at the floor by her door to see if there was any mail slipped under. There was something: a letter. A letter from a low firm.

That day was no longer like any other in her life. Proof that it was a dream was in the handbag on her lap: The deed was there, and her new checkbook.

The checkbook was no minor miracle. It was the golden goose, a fairy's wand, Captain Kidd's treasure rolled up in one. She'd written checks and still there was—to Daphne anyway—a large sum left to be drawn upon. She'd spent six hundred for

Daphne had been writing to Kate for twelve years, and often it was anything but easy to write letters, filled with glowing, if wholly imaginary, accounts of her life. Little masterpieces those letters were, tales woven about things as she would like them to have been: The villa at Naples was far and away the best. The gardens and servants, the ease and beauty which had not existed. The description of the year in Paris wasn't bad either. She'd got most of that out of stories written by Americans who'd never been there. There were others in that long series; Carlo's "concert tour," the "amusing" boat voyages, the Bohemian life.

(To be continued)

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GRAB BAG

One-Minute Test
1. What great man refused to be king of America?
2. What part did Thomas Jefferson have in writing the United States constitution?
3. What president of the United States officiated at the burial of the U. S. Unknown Soldier?

Words of Wisdom
No one is likely to remember what is entirely uninteresting to him.—G. Macdonald.

Hints on Etiquette
Picking up bones to strip them

American Railway Express Co., was attacked by a thug who struck him over the head with a piece of iron as he was putting his horse in the barn back of the Boggs hotel. Nothing was taken as he had turned in his receipts for the day.

Circleville entertained for five minutes, General John Pershing, commander of the American Expeditionary forces in France, as he stopped enroute to Camp Sherman.

You're Telling Me!

THE NAZI high command, we hear, won't let Hitler hear anything but good news. Der Furious must go for weeks without hearing a single item.

A Canadian town reports the sudden appearance of Spring blooms. Gosh, we hoped for a short Winter—but not one that short.

The T-formation has come and gone with the football season but the T-bone lives in our thoughts forever.

Junior officers of the German army, we read, are now being transported to and from the front in cattle cars. Cattle cars? Sheep would be more appropriate.

The Japs do not go in for numerology but, even so, they are pretty certain by now that B-29 spells trouble.

A captured Wehrmacht officer bitterly criticizes Hitler's fatal intuition. The botch on the Rhine, eh?

The post-war overcoat, we're promised, will be heated electrically. Swell—then to make quick toast all we need do is drop a slice of bread in each pocket!

JUNIOR is convinced that stage play rabbit, "Harvey," is really just the Easter Bunny enjoying a fling on Broadway.

New York City has a 64-foot high Christmas tree—which just about ought to make the skyscrapers invisible.

And then there is the little boy who wants a bugle for Christmas,

of the last bit of meat is still not done in polite society, only in the privacy of your own dining room.

Today's Horoscope
If today is your birthday you speak and act hastily, but mean no harm. You are a great reader and a good and entertaining talker. Bright, witty and vivacious, you generally are the "life of the party." You love luxuries and pleasant surroundings, and are sensitive to your environment. Your love is constant and demonstrative. Provided caution is exercised in business and general

correspondence, also in speech, progress and harmony will be realized in these next 12 months. You should guard against accidents. The child who is born on this date should be taught early that industry and not the lure of the senses brings true happiness. Love and/or domestic upheavals are shown.

One-Minute Test Answers
1. George Washington.
2. None. He was in Europe at the time.
3. President Harding.

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE

By Shepard Barclay
"The Authority on Authorities"

WHAT HE IS ASKING

AFTER YOUR partner bids one suit, you respond with a different suit and he then bids a third suit, he is probably making a conditional request of you. He is asking you to support one of his two suits, if it is a major and you fit it soundly with adequate support, if it is a minor suit, he wants you to bid No Trumps if you have safe stoppage of the fourth suit; to support the minor if you lack such stoppage but fit the suit adequately; to rebid your own if you can afford it, but lack ability to do any of the preceding alternatives. But he is not asking you to bid No Trump unless the fourth suit is soundly stopped.

♠ K Q 8 5
♥ 2
♦ A K Q 4 3
♣ A 8 7

♠ J 7 3
♥ Q 10 7 4
♦ 3
♣ 9 6 5 10 6

♠ A 6
♥ J 9 8
♦ J 8 7
♣ K Q 9 4 3

(Dealer: North. East-West vulnerable.)

North East South West
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ Pass
2 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ Pass
3 NT

Against that West led the heart 4, and it is easy to see how the defenders ran five rapid tricks to set the contract.

South was to blame for the side getting set in No Trump when it could have made a small slam in either clubs or diamonds, with the loss of only one trick, in hearts. But he saw fit to censure his partner.

in order to keep in tune with the times.

A Terre Haute, Ind., 18-year-old has banked \$14,000 profit from tilling the soil of his own little farm. That had didn't find buried treasure, he grew it.

A type of whistling mistletoe has been developed. Isn't science won-

derful? Now we can have our flirting done for us.

With a singleton in hearts and that rebiddable suit, your hand was not suited to No Trumps and you should have steered us out of it into a suit," said South.

He was plumb wrong. Singletons should not worry the player opposite the one who bids No Trumps. The man who bids the No Trumps takes responsibility for the stoppage of suits in normal situations, and should desire ordinarily to find an established length of some suit or another opposite him. That suit length can be made possible only by shortage elsewhere in the hand. With his virtually solid five-card diamond suit, North had ideal aid for No Trumps.

When South bid the No Trumps, he thought he had the fourth suit of hearts so near to stopped that his partner could complete the stoppage. Had he bid three of either minor, preferably 3-Diamonds, the slam could hardly have been missed by the side.

Tomorrow's Problem
♠ 9 5 4
♥ 8 7 3
♦ A K Q 6
♣ 5 3 2

♠ K 10 8 6
♥ 3
♦ 5
♣ 10 8 2

♠ A Q J 2
♥ A J 10
♦ 9 3
♣ A J 6 4

(Dealer: West. East-West vulnerable.)

How should South play for 4-Hearts doubled on this deal after East takes the opening club lead and returns the club 4?

Latest photo of Fatso Goering shows him thinner. Must be down to a mere 500 pounds, medals and all.

Germany is now run, as we understand it, by everybody holding a gun at someone else's head. Hey, Fritz, how about a National Pull-the-Trigger Day?

—: Social Happenings - Personals - News of Interest to Women :—

36 Present At Dinner Session of Presbyweds

Holiday Spirit Predominant At Meet

Thirty-six members and guests were present Sunday at the fine meeting of the Presby-Weds of the Presbyterian church held in the social room. The cooperative dinner that opened the affair was served at tables beautifully decorated with Christmas greens and lighted with red tapers.

In addition to carol singing by the group, with Mrs. Robert Goodchild as accompanist, readings were presented by Miss Ann Moeller, who read "Ain't Love Grand," and by Mrs. Carl L. Kennedy, whose selection was "Let 'em Off." Mrs. Goodchild and daughter, Nancy, played a piano duet, "The Doll's Dream."

During the business hour in charge of Arthur P. McCoard, president, he announced the committees for the next three months. Mr. and Mrs. Donald H. Watt and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Graef were named for the January session; Mr. and Mrs. C. Ray Barnhart and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Howell, for February, and Mr. and Mrs. Forest Croman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Colville, for March.

After the carol singing, the members devoted an hour to wrapping Christmas gifts that are to be taken to the Children's Home and the Pickaway County Home, Sunday, December 17. The group will sing carols at both institutions.

Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Barnhart were co-chairmen of the women's group of the club, the women being hostesses for the evening.

Women's Association

Women's association of the Presbyterian church will meet Friday at 2:30 p. m. in the church social room. Miss Olive Newman, of Chillicothe, formerly of Fataetur, India, will be guest speaker. Members of the W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church have been asked to the meeting and to the tea which is to follow.

Daughters of 1812

The Major John Boggs Chapter, Daughters of 1812, will meet Thursday at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Miss Mary Heffner, East Mound street. Miss Alice Ada May will be guest speaker. Each member is permitted to take two guests.

Ashville Garden Club

Ashville Garden club will have its Christmas meeting Thursday at 8 p. m. at the home of Mrs. William Whitehead, Ashville. Mrs. Homer Peters and Mrs. H. S. Wilson will be in charge of the program. Each member is asked to take a 25-cent gift for the exchange.

Family Gathering

Mr. and Mrs. Will B. Cady, South Scioto street, were hosts Sunday at a family gathering at their home. Those present for the excellent dinner and pleasant day were: Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Powell, Chicago, Ill.; Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Freshour and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bon, Columbus; Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fausnaugh, Ashville; and Mr. and Mrs. James Sines, of Circleville. Mr. and Mrs. Powell, who had been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cady for several days, went to Columbus for a visit before returning home.

Harper's Bible Class

Harper Bible class will have its Christmas meeting Friday at 7:30 at the community house of the First United Brethren church. Members are reminded to take gifts for the exchange.

Art Sewing Club

Miss Laura Mantle, East Main street, will entertain members of the Art Sewing club at the December session Wednesday at 7:30 p. m. at Mrs. Marion's party home.

Morris C. E.

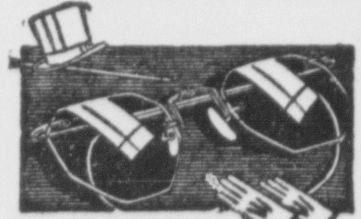
Senior Christian Endeavor society of Morris Chapel will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strawser, Washington township.

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WELCOME FIRST WAVE TO ALEUTIANS



FIRST WAVE sent to the Aleutians on active duty is Lt. Marguerite Hunold, of Port Washington, N. Y. She is shown being greeted on her arrival at Adak by Lt. Comdr. V. A. Sweeney of Owatonna, Minn., in charge of the joint weather control there. She stopped at this station while on an 11-day tour of the Aleutians to study weather conditions to aid her in her duties as weather forecaster for pilots using the Aleutian chain. Official U. S. Navy photo. (International Soundphoto)

day at the home of Mrs. Margaret Leist, of Walnut street.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hosler, of near Five Points, were business visitors in Circleville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bowman, near Stoutsville, were Saturday business visitors in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Heffner, of near Williamsport, were Saturday business visitors in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kerns and daughter, Helen Margaret, of Jackson township, were Circleville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Ted Huston and daughters, of Stoutsville, were Saturday visitors in Circleville.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Ward and daughter, of near Commercial Point, were Circleville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bowling and children, Jackson township, were Saturday visitors in Circleville.

Miss Alice Stein, of Worthington, spent the week end with her cousin, Mrs. Glenn I. Nickerson, of South Court street.

BUY WAR BONDS

Personals

Miss Sally Price, who has been staying at the home of her cousin, Miss Sylvia Brunner, of Pinckney street, has returned to her home in Portsmouth.

Miss Mary Jane Schear, of Dayton, was a week end guest in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Kibler, of Watt street.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fullen, of Columbus, spent the week end with Mrs. Fullen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Millar, of near Ashville.

Miss Martha Reid, of London, passed the week end at the home of her father, W. M. Reid, of East Union street.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Denman, of New Holland, were Saturday visitors of relatives in Circleville.

Mrs. Marcus Rife and daughter, May Kathryn, and Mrs. Simon Rife, of near Ashville, were Saturday visitors in Circleville.

Mrs. Arnold Reichelderfer and children, of Tarlton, visited Saturday.

The root of the sarsaparilla plant is the part used in medicine. It is dried, is about the thickness of a goose quill, and generally many feet in length, reddish brown and covered with rootlets.



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SOCIAL CALENDAR

TUESDAY
O. E. S., CHAPTER ROOM, Masonic temple, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
B. AND P. W. CLUB, ANNIVERSARY dinner, Tuesday at 7 p. m. at the Pickaway Arms.
LOYAL DAUGHTERS' CLASS, home Mrs. Charles Ater, 314 South Pickaway street, Tuesday at 7:30 p. m.
CIRCLE 1, HOME MRS. L. S. Lytle, 601 North Pickaway street, Tuesday at 2 p. m.
MORRIS SENIOR C. E., HOME Roy Strawser, Washington township, Tuesday at 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY
ART SEWING CLUB, MRS. Marion's party home, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.
UNION GUILD, HOME MRS. Ray Pontius, West Main street, Wednesday at 1 p. m.
CIRCLE 2, HOME MRS. M. F. Thornton, 328 East Mound street, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
CIRCLE 5, HOME MRS. ZELMA Skinner, 627 South Court street, Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
CIRCLE 7, HOME MRS. HAROLD Deffenbaugh, East Main street, Wednesday at 6:30 p. m.
EBENEZER SOCIAL CIRCLE, home Mrs. Guy Heffner, Salt-creek township, Wednesday at 2 p. m.

THURSDAY
ST. PAUL MISSIONARY SOCIETY, home Mrs. William Richter, Washington township, Thursday at 2 p. m.
GROUP H, PRESBYTERIAN church, home Mrs. Forrest

Croman, Washington township, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

U. B. MISSIONARY SOCIETY, community house, Thursday at 6:30 p. m.

ZELDA BIBLE CLASS, HOME Mrs. Frank Morrison, East Main street, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

REAL FOLKS' CLUB, MRS. Marion's party home, Thursday at 6 p. m.

CIRCLE H, HOME MRS. FORREST Croman, Washington township, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

ASHVILLE GARDEN CLUB, home Mrs. William Whitehead, Ashville, Thursday at 8 p. m.

DAUGHTERS OF 1812, HOME Miss Mary Heffner, East

Mound street, Thursday at 2:30 p. m.

FRIDAY

JOINT MEETING CHRIST

Lutheran societies, home Lawrence Krimmel, Jackson township, Friday at 7 p. m.

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION, Presbyterian church, Friday at 2:30 p. m.

WAYNE ADVISORY COUNCIL, home Mr. and Mrs. George Mallet, Wayne township, Friday at 7:30 p. m.

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A Detailed Reference to Business Facilities of Circleville

ELECTRIC APPLIANCES

PETTIT'S
130 S. Court St. Phone 214

AUCTIONEERS

CHESTER B. ALSPACH
Canal Winchester, O. Ph. 7-7865

WALTER BUMGARDNER
R. F. D. 2 Phone 1981

CHRIS DAWSON
357 E. Ohio St. Phone 600

BOYD HORN
225 Walnut Street Phone 1073

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CIRCLEVILLE TRANSFER CO.
223 S. Scioto Street Phone 1227

RETAIL LUMBER DEALERS

CIRCLEVILLE LUMBER CO.
150 Edison Avenue Phone 269

DAIRY PRODUCTS DEALERS

PICKAWAY DAIRY ASSN.
Pickaway Butter Phone 28

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W. C. MORRIS
Phone 234
Basement 219 S. Court St.

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DR. C. W. CROMLEY
Pet Hospital—Boarding.
Ambulance. Phone 4, Ashville.

DR. FLOYD P. DUNLAP
454 N. Court St. Ph. 315 or 906

SALLY'S SALLIES

Registered U. S. Patent Office



"Sure, Gert, I can keep a secret. I've been married to Wilbur ten years and I've never yet told him why I'm always wanting money."

Articles for Sale

HOOVER'S Turkey Farm, Turkeys alive or dressed. Phone 1637.

BOY'S new Victory Bicycle, 459 Half Ave.

WHITE New Zealand rabbits, good breeding stock. Inquire 315 Watt St.

GOOD GUERNSEY milk cow, with calf, James Pontius, Ashville, Rt. 1.

LADIES' SUIT, all wool, gold color, fox fur trim, size 12. Mrs. Sam Scothorn, 147 W. High St.

TURKEYS, dressed or alive, phone 1090 Circleville exchange or 3911 Ashville.

DOWN DRAFT Heatrola, good as new, 318 Abernethy Ave.

PUREBRED Duroc boar, Harold Schein, Rt. 1, Williamsport.

ONE 6-row International corn shredder, Ready to run. Lloyd Reiterman, Kingston, O. Phone 7999.

COAL—Hawk's best lump, \$6.75 delivered promptly, 6 or 7 tons lots. Clifford Hawk, Carbon Hill, Ohio, Phone 1139-J-4.

IMMEDIATE delivery, Ohio white ash coal. Harold Huffer, 118 S. Pickaway St.

Employment

WANTED—Woman to do cleaning, part time. Call Frank Susa, phone 150.

MARRIED MAN wants work on farm. House furnished. Robert P. Cline, Circleville, Rt. 4.

CARPENTER WORK, all kinds, reasonable. Offices to clean, C. Leach, Route 2, west from elevator on Canal road.

WANTED—Washings to do at home. Phone 1150.

WANTED—Permanent housekeeper. Cook for two, \$14 per week. No deductions. Write card to P. O. Box 357, giving name and address.

TWO AUCTIONEERS FOR ONE COMMISSION
A. T. SWEPSTON'S SONS
R. EARL SWEPSTON,
Chillicothe, O., Phone 6751
DONALD B. SWEPSTON,
Frankfort, O., Phone 2951
The name SWEPSTON has stood for 60 YEARS as top salesmen; featuring PLAIN, DISTINCT SPEAKING VOICES.

Business Service

LET US change your battery radio to electric. Ballou's Radio Service, phone 210.

WE SERVICE radios, sweepers, washers, irons, toasters. Pettit's.

BEGIN NOW to prepare for winter. Have that roof repaired before cold and freezing weather sets in. We have asphalt roof coating, felt roofing and roof paints of all kinds. Kochheiser Hardware.

BODY AND FENDER work, E. E. Clifton Sales and Service.

Lost

BLACK SILK BAG containing \$18 and other articles. Reward. Leona Renck, 716 McKinley Ave., Lancaster.

MALE blue tick hound, in Pickaway township. Call 1708. Reward.

Articles For Sale

GAS RANGE, good condition. Inquire John Conrad, Rt. 1, Stoutsville.

CHRISTMAS TREES, Lewis Kuhn, 507 S. Scioto St.

SEE MY LINE of wallpaper samples at 544 E. Union St. Arthur Foll, paperhanger.

FOR CHRISTMAS
Why not give the family Summer comfort throughout the Winter months by installing Storm King Combination Windows and Rock Wool Insulation. Be patriotic. Save that hard to get fuel. All work guaranteed. Three years to pay. Call —

KOCHHEISER HW. CO.
Phone 100
For Health Sake, Insulate

STOCK TANK heaters at Kochheiser Hardware Co.

CHRISTMAS CARDS, 3c to 25c at Gards.

CABINETS; SINKS; electric and gas water heaters; electric clocks; baby buggies; mop buckets; mechanics' tool boxes; 5-10 gal. cream cans; work gloves all kinds. Visit our toy department for a complete line of toys. Use our lay-away plan.

HARPSTER & YOST HARDWARE
We Now Have In Stock New Structural Steel, I Beam, Channels, Angles, Rounds, Flats, Reinforcing Bars
CIRCLEVILLE IRON & METAL COMPANY
Phone No. 3

112 RATS killed with Schuttes Rat Killer. Harpster & Yost.

SAVE FUEL this Winter with Johns-Manville Rock Wool Insulation. Ask for estimate on cost. Phone 269. Circleville Lumber Co.

MUFFLERS for Ford A, Ford V-8 60-85 H. P., Chevrolet, Plymouth, Dodge. Also used and rebuilt generators for most cars. Circleville Iron & Metal Co. Phone 3.

GOODRICH SILVERTOWN TIRES
Truck and Passenger
O. P. A. Certificate Required
Also Fast Recapping Service
A. & H. TIRE CO.
N. Scioto — Phone 246

YINGLING FARMS Certified Hybrid Seed Corn. All leading varieties including some white. See Shaw's Grocery, 425 S. Pickaway St., Circleville, O.

LOTS OF DESIRABLE toys for girls and boys at Gards.

CHRISTMAS TOYS—Rocking chairs, doll beds, cradles and buggies; small straight chairs; straw dolls. Use our convenient lay away plan. R. & R. Furniture Co.

Wanted to Buy
IF YOU HAVE grain, wheat or corn for sale, call Thomas Hockman, Laurelville 1812, collect.

CASH PAID for old books. David Webb, Chillicothe, Ohio.

ARE YOU SELLING your radio, stove or furniture? If so, call 135 day or evening.

Raw Furs
We pay top prices for all Furs and Beef Hides
Circleville Iron & Metal Co.
Phone No. 3 Mill and Clinton Sts.

NO HOUSEKEEPER ever had too many small throw rugs. Therefore a gift of one of these would always please. The pretty rag rugs our grandparents used are now coming back to their own and mothers of small children find them a boon to good housekeeping. They are easily washed and very inexpensive. See them and others at Griffith and Mart-in.

SUGAR AND SPICE and everything nice goes into the making of the fruit cakes that are for sale this year at Wallace's Bakery. They are made in one, two and three pound cakes. Daintily wrapped they make delightful gifts. Ingredients for these cakes are now difficult to get for the home maker so leave your order for your cakes early. They are priced 75c, \$1.50 and \$2.25.

Financial
MONEY LOANED on easy terms to buy, build or repair homes or for personal needs. Principal reduced each three months. Payments received weekly or monthly. The Scioto Building and Loan Co.

Christmas SHOPPING

ALL THE TIKES and tots will want games for Christmas. The W. T. Grant store has a complete line of games that will amuse during the Holidays and long after they are over. Some of them will entertain mother and dad too. Be sure to see the collection before you select your games for the children. Don't expect mechanical games, however, as they have all gone to war. The collection consists of war-time games.

HER EYES will gleam to the glow of pearls, the gift of enduring beauty. One, two and three strand chokers that capture the splendor of the Orient. The L. M. Butch company, jewelers, have them priced from \$7 to \$48.50. One particularly beautiful single strand, we saw had a sterling clasp and was priced at \$20. Make this your leading lady's most memorable Christmas—present her with pearls.

HARPSTER AND YOST hardware store is the place to select your gifts for the small fry. They have secured the store room formerly occupied by the Mader Gift store for their arrangement of toys. Here you will find the most complete assortment of toys in Pickaway county. Footballs, wagons, wheelbarrows, small garden tools, tool chests, guns, hunting equipment, any other things that regular guys will want old St. Nick to bring them. Dolls, buggies, sewing baskets, dishes, miniature household furniture, games, pianos and other musical instruments for the girls.

WINE with the meal helps make the holidays—Wine brings to the table a kindly good cheer. These days, that's helpful. You'll find that wine goes well with almost any warm dish you wish to serve. Enjoy it at the table—use it in your holiday cooking—it works miracles with food flavoring—Son's Grill has a supply of good wines.

THINGS TO GIVE to the home maker are to be found in abundance at the Kochheiser hardware store. None of them will be done up in Christmas packages but they will be mighty appreciated just the same. Handy nests of bowls, cute little individual bakers with handles that make hot dishes so easy to serve, rolling pins, meat and food choppers, potters tea pots and many similar gifts that go to make a real homey old fashioned Christmas.

IT IS ALWAYS difficult to find an appropriate gift for the shut-in or the invalid. The persons to whom Christmas may mean nothing if their friends neglect them may be remembered by a gift of fruit. The Clarence Wolf grocery has a complete line of all fresh seasonal fruits and will be glad to help select and fill a gift basket or box.

SOMETHING old, something new, we don't know how you would make out to try to borrow something but the blue pottery and figurines at Pettit's are worthy gifts for the most exacting. This gift store has really blossomed out during the past year and now has become the mecca of all gift buyers in Circleville. Besides the figurines there are vases, ash trays, console sets and numerous other articles in the very pretty and inexpensive Roseville pottery. See these before finishing your Christmas shopping.

FOR THE TOP MAN on your list go to the Caddy Miller Hat shop to select his gift. This is truly a man shop and has been for the past five generations. Many of your great grandfathers selected their gifts from these same shelves. The store specializes in nationally advertised and hi-grade men's clothing. For many years past a gift certificate for a Stetson hat has occupied the place of honor on the Christmas tree. It would be doubly appropriate for this war-time Christmas.

EVERY LITTLE mother will love the cute doll cribs and beds that we noted at the R. & R. Furniture store. The cuddliest of little blue lambs painted on the ends of the beds and little boy blue on the cribs. The cradles complete with soft mattress and pillow for \$3.29 and the beds also have mattress and pillow for \$4.79.

Public Sales
No charge for publication of sales under this heading where regular advertising has been ordered in The Herald. Set your date early and get the benefit of this extra publication.

Public Sales

TUESDAY, Dec. 12
At farm, one-fourth mile south of Waterloo on Rt. 277, beginning at 1 o'clock, Mae Stewart, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

FRIDAY, Dec. 15
One and one-half mile northeast of Ashville on SR 752, 2½ miles east of SR 128, beginning at 12 noon, S. W. and Charles Edw. Cummins, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

SATURDAY, Dec. 16
At residence three miles south of Groveport, seven miles southwest of Canal Winchester, about six miles west of Lithopolis on the Braun Road, beginning at 12 noon, John McCollier, C. J. Ferguson, auctioneer.

MONDAY, Dec. 18
On the Brock road, formerly the Woods Pike, two miles northwest of Yatesville, four miles south of Sedalia, beginning at 12 noon, E. W. Durlinger, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

MONDAY, Dec. 18
At the door of the Court House in Circleville, Ohio, beginning at 2 o'clock, Ray W. Davis, administrator of estate of Faye M. Cremins.

TUESDAY, Dec. 19
At residence of late Margaret M. Owens, located five miles west of Circleville, Ohio, beginning at 12:30, Florence O. Dowden, administratrix, C. G. Chaffin, auctioneer.

TUESDAY, Dec. 19
One mile south of Derby, six miles north of Derbyville, beginning at 12:30, Floyd Meyer, Bumgarner and Ferguson, auctioneers.

WEDNESDAY, Dec. 20
On the Elmer Rowe farm on the Bunker Hill road, one and one-half miles west of Derby, six miles southwest of Washington C. H. and six miles southeast of Sabina, beginning at 2 o'clock, L. A. Bandy, W. O. Bumgarner, auctioneer.

PUBLIC SALE
Having sold my farm, I will offer for sale at public auction my entire lot of household goods, on

Sat., Dec. 16, 1944

Commencing promptly at one o'clock at my place of residence in Whisler, Ohio, the following being a part thereof:

Upright piano; O. S. living room suite; two heating stoves; coal range; kerosene range; rocking chairs; straight chairs; three 9x12 rugs; one lot of throw rugs; dining table; chairs and sideboard; stands; Singer sewing machine; clocks; floor lamps; table lamps; beds; dressers; kitchen cabinet; kitchen table and chairs; bedding; curtains; dishes; silverware; cooking utensils, etc.

One lot of small tools, such as shovels, forks, saws; large porch swing.

TERMS—CASH

Mrs. Anna Walters
C. G. Chaffin, auctioneer.
Wayne Hoover, clerk.

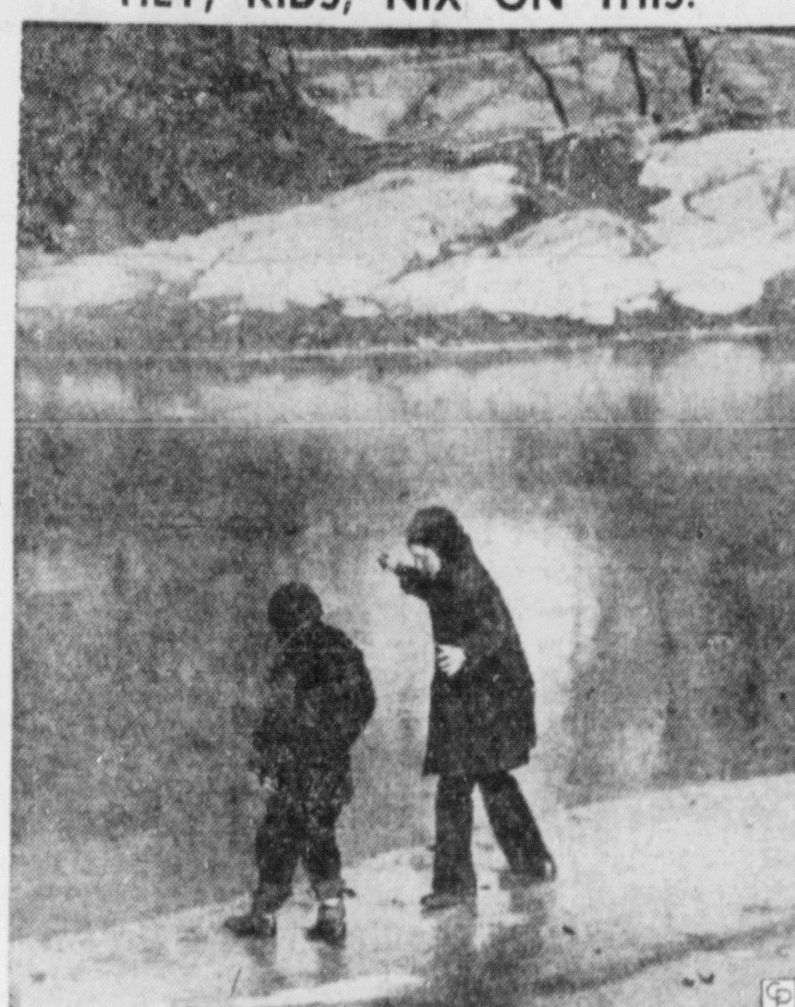
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NOTICE OF ELECTION
The regular annual meeting of stockholders of The Third National Bank of Circleville, Ohio, for the purpose of electing a board of directors for the ensuing year and for such other business as may properly come before said shareholders' annual meeting will be held at the office of The Third National Bank of Circleville, Ohio, on Tuesday, January 3, 1945, at 2 o'clock p. m. M. E. NOGGLE, Cashier.

FORMER ARMY COACH IS DECORATED BY PATCH

WITH THE U. S. SEVENTH ARMY, Dec. 11—Former coach of the West Point football team, Brig. Gen. Gar Davidson, today wore the distinguished service medal for his "engineering work on the rapid reconstruction" of two European ports—Palermo, Sicily, and Mar-selles. The Cadet mentor of 1933-38 received the award from Lieut. Gen. Alexander Patch, commander of the American Seventh Army.

HEY, KIDS, NIX ON THIS!



THIS PICTURE should be of interest to parents and children alike. It's a common practice this time of the year for young America and many times it ends in tragedy. In other words, kids, DON'T TREAD ON THIN ICE!

BUCKS, BEE-GEES SET PACE FOR OHIO QUINTETS

By International News Service

Ohio State's defending Western Conference champions and Bowling Green's power-laden Falcons today set the early pace for the Buckeye state's collegiate cagers.

With Don Grate registering 17 points and Center Arnold (Stitts) Risen netting 11, the Bucks cagers picked up where the Ohio State football team left off by smothering Michigan State, 58-31, in the opening game of the 1944-45 season.

Bowling Green, meanwhile, squeezed out a 52-51 verdict over Western Kentucky Teachers at Cincinnati for its third straight decision.

Miami, the state's 1944 college football king, took its second basketball beating in four games in losing to mighty Notre Dame. The Irish doubled the count on the Redskins, winning 68-34. Cincinnati absorbed an even worse licking in losing to the University of Kentucky, 66-24, and Case wound up on the short end of a 52-40 count in its game with Carnegie Tech.

Heidelberg returned to action after a year's layoff to smash Ashland, 45-39, and Akron displayed terrific scoring power in blasting the Lockbourne Flyers, 72-43, in another season lifter.

In the only other Saturday night contest Ohio Wesleyan punched out a 49-35 victory over Oberlin in a game marked by personal fouls. In all 42 personals were called during the game—an average of slightly more than one a minute.

There are frequent heavy snowfalls on the Japan sea slopes of the mountains of Yezo. The Pacific side of the country, by which flows the Japan current, has pleasing winter weather.

AAU DELEGATES NAME COLORADO MAN PRESIDENT

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J. Dec. 11

—The first westerner to be elected president of the Amateur Athletic Union in 24 years—Willard N. Greim—is in office today after being chosen Sunday in the closing session of the AAU's 56th annual convention.

Greim, who is director of physical education for Denver, Colo., public schools and a former captain of field artillery in France during World War I, succeeds Lawrence de Benedetto of New Orleans, who held office for five years. The last westerner to head the AAU was Robert S. Weaver of Los Angeles, who was voted in by the delegates of 1920.

Other officers elected were: Judge Eugene C. Bonniwell, Philadelphia, first vice-president; Mayor James A. Rhodes, Columbus, O., second vice-president; N. C. third vice-president; Marion Charles Stapleton, Gainsboro, Miller, Kansas City, fourth vice-president; J. Lyann Bingham, New York, assistant to the president, and Daniel J. Ferris, New York, secretary-treasurer.

That gave them the Eastern title and they will play the Packers next Sunday in New York for the championship of all the league.

In the meantime, the Philadelphia Eagles, hoping the Giants would stub their toes, were administering a 26 to 13 defeat to the Cleveland Rams in the presence of 24,123 fans in Shibe park, Philadelphia.

Had the New Yorkers lost, the Eagles would have snatched the eastern gongalon. As it is, they wind up in second place and the Redskins in third.

FINAL STANDINGS
Western Division

Green Bay 8 2 0
Chicago 6 3 1
Detroit 6 3 1
Cleveland 4 6 0
Card-Pitt 0 10 0

Eastern Division

New York 8 1 1
Philadelphia 7 1 2
Washington 6 3 1
Boston 2 8 0
Brooklyn 0 10 0

Yesterday's Results
New York, 31; Washington, 0.
Philadelphia, 26; Cleveland, 13.

LOCKBOURNE OFFICERS TO HEAR OSU GRID STARS

Les Horvath, Tom Snyder and Warren Amling of the Ohio State football team will be guests at a banquet for teams of the Lockbourne Army Air Base officers' athletic leagues at the Fort Hayes Hotel in Columbus tonight.

The volleyball, handball, badminton and tennis champions will be honored and pictures of the 1944 Ohio State-Illinois grid contest will be shown by Dr. Walter E. Duffee. Handling the duties of toastmaster is Capt. Joseph G. Burris, Public Relations Officer at the base.

Boxing Record Intact—but Their Ship Is Gone



ATHLETIC CONTESTS HAVE BEEN CANCELED for many reasons, but the members of the U. S. S. Princeton's boxing team claim they have a new one. Now back at San Diego, Cal., the Princeton boxers had a match scheduled with the boxers of a large carrier, but a Jap dive bomber hit their ship and the Princeton sank. All the ring crew survived the sinking. Above, the Princeton team's coach, Seaman First Class Delor Benoit, left, gives a few hints to Steward's Mate First Class Nate Allen of Georgetown, S. C., the Princeton light-heavy champ. Allen was a high-ranking middleweight two years ago under the ring name of Buddy O'Dell.

(International)

FILLIE THE TOILER



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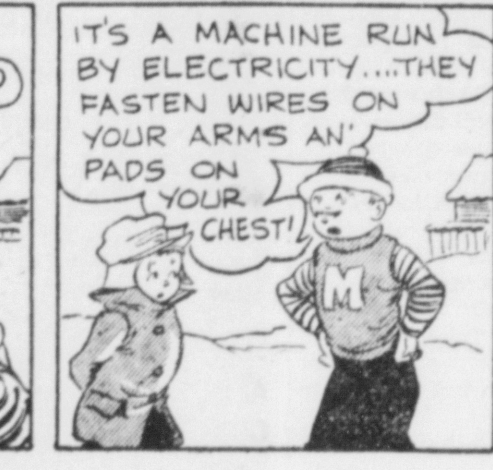
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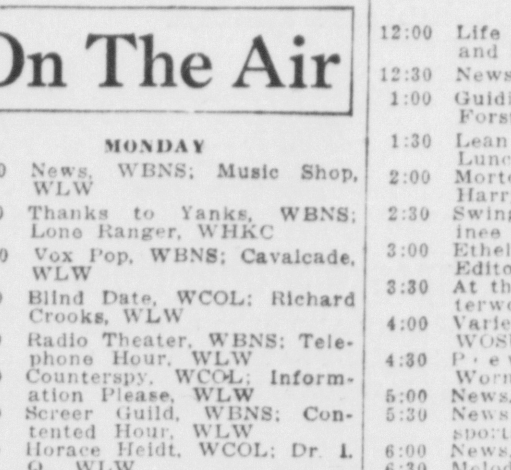
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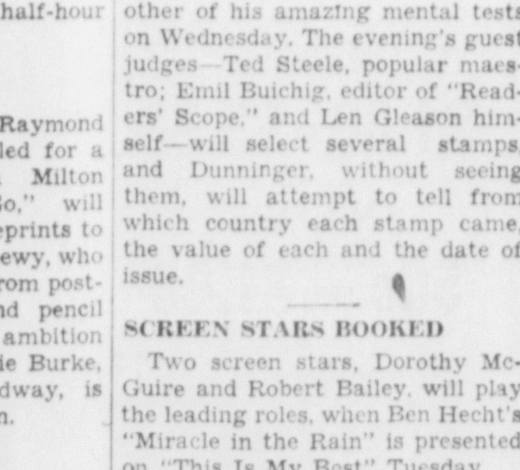
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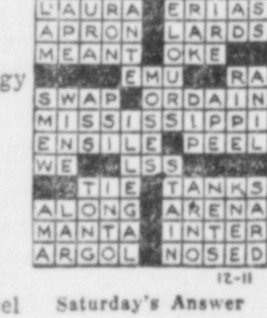
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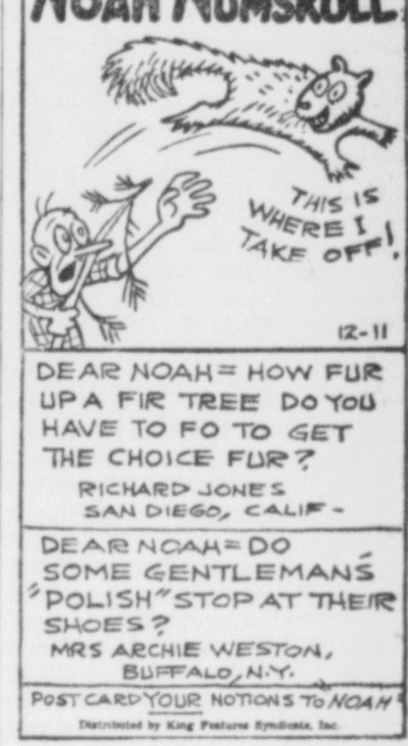
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- Strike
 - European sea-worm
 - Bring out
 - Derived from humus
 - Took, as dinner
 - Loose hanging points
 - Surly
 - Indefinite article
 - Elevated train
 - Grass-eating butterfly
 - Neat
 - Help
 - Fishing pole
 - Mongrels
 - Quiet
 - Anglo-Norman (abbr.)
 - Project
 - Farm animal
 - A rock plant
 - Musical instrument
 - Ethical
 - Plant of nettle family
 - Edible mollusk
 - Pier to area
 - Crooked
 - Skin tumor
- DOWN
- Suspended
 - Frozen desserts
 - Boy's nickname
 - To turn aside
 - Subtle
 - Emanation
 - Hebrew measure
 - Old Norse
 - Moon-goddess
 - Didn't work
 - Coquettishly
 - Boy's nickname
 - A food name
 - Nourished
 - Vehicle
 - Belonging to him
 - High, craggy hill
 - Fish
 - Soak flax
 - Sooties
 - Coalition
 - Source of light
 - Undershot water wheel
 - Eject
 - Long-eared rodent
 - So be it
 - Uncooked

STATO VILLA



Saturday's Answer

NOAH NUMSKULL



Wife Preservers



SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



LISTEN!

- TONIGHT
- 5:00 NEWS
 - 5:15 Lynn Murray
 - 5:30 Gilbert's Show
 - 5:45 THE WORLD TODAY
 - 5:55 JOSEPH C. HARSCH
 - 6:00 JIM COOPER, NEWS
 - 6:15 Holda Hopper
 - 6:30 Johnny Jones
 - 6:45 Serenade For Strings
 - 7:00 Vox Pop
 - 7:30 Frank Sinatra
 - 7:55 BILLY MAY, NEWS
 - 8:00 Radio Theatre
 - 8:30 Serenade Guild Players
 - 8:45 The Yanks
 - 9:00 I Love A Mystery
 - 9:15 Johnny Jones
 - 9:30 Serenade For Strings
 - 9:45 Double-13 Nite Club
 - 10:00 NEWS
 - 10:15 Salt Lake City Program
 - 10:30 Frankie Carle Orchestra
 - 10:45 When Day Is Done
 - 12:00 Music You Want

STARS SAY—

For Monday, December 11

Monday's astrological forecast is a rather conflicting one, in which the final outcome of entangling affairs depends on the discretion, logic and rationalization with which menacing matters are managed. With prudence and restraints especially in purely personal contacts there might be for success.

Those whose birthday it is may anticipate a peculiar year in which strange or unorthodox experiences and adventures are indicated. With proper restraint, shrewdness, and the reasonable approach to subtle problems, particularly in intimate relations, there might be some moderate success and satisfaction.

A child born on this day might have some unique or spectacular creative talents, with personal charm of magnetism affecting its artistic career.

Red snow is a phenomenon similar to blood rain. It is best seen in the Arctic regions. Minute particles, commonly of organic nature, that existed in the atmosphere at the time of the snowfall, are the source of the coloration.

On The Air

- MONDAY
- 6:00 News, WBNS; Music Shop, WLW
 - 6:30 Thanks to Yanks, WBNS; Lone Ranger, WHKC
 - 7:00 Vox Pop, WBNS; Cavalcade, WLW
 - 7:30 Blind Date, WCOL; Richard Crooks, WLW
 - 8:00 Radio Theater, WBNS; Telephone Hour, WLW
 - 8:30 Counterspy, WCOL; Information Please, WLW
 - 9:00 Screer Guild, WBNS; Contented Hour, WLW
 - 9:30 Horace Heidt, WCOL; Dr. L. Q., WLW
 - 10:00 I Love Mystery, WBNS; News, WLW
 - 10:30 News, WBNS; Jack Beall, WLW
 - 11:00 Military Band, WCOL; News, WLW
 - 11:30 Dance Music, WBNS and WLW

- TUESDAY
- 12:00 Life Beautiful, WBNS; Farm and Home, WOSU
 - 12:30 News, WBNS and WLW
 - 1:00 Guiding Light, WLW; Cedric Forster, WHKC
 - 1:30 Lean and Listen, WCOL; Luncheon Melodies, WOSU
 - 2:00 Morton Downey, WCOL; Harry James, WHKC
 - 2:30 Swing Serenade, WCOL; Matinee Concert, WOSU
 - 3:00 Ethel and Albert, WCOL; Editor's Daughter, WBNS
 - 3:30 At the Console, WBNS; Masterworks, WOSU
 - 4:00 Varieties, WHKC; Tea Dance, WOSU
 - 4:30 P. M. View, WCOL; Early Worm, WBNS
 - 5:00 News, WBNS and WLW
 - 5:30 News and fashions, WHKC; Cedric Forster, WHKC
 - 6:00 News, WBNS and WHKC
 - 6:30 Melody Hour, WBNS; Army Show, WHKC
 - 7:00 Big Town, WBNS; Johnny Presents, WLW
 - 7:30 Romance, WBNS; Date With Judy, WLW
 - 8:00 Burns-Allen, WBNS; Mystery Theater, WLW
 - 8:30 This My Best, WBNS; Fibber

- 9:00 McGee, WLW
- 9:30 Service Front, WBNS; Bob Hope, WLW
- 10:00 Let Yourself Go, WCOL; Hildegarde, WLW
- 10:30 Mystery, WBNS; News, WLW
- 11:00 News, WBNS; Background, WLW
- 11:30 News, WBNS and WLW
- 12:00 Vaughn Monroe, WBNS; Orchestra, WLW

the broadcast of the half-hour musical.

LOEWEY IS GUEST

Industrial designer Raymond Loewy, originally scheduled for a Dec. 5 appearance on Milton Berle's "Let Yourself Go," will bring his streamlined blueprints to the Tuesday broadcast. Loewy, who has designed everything from post-war kitchens to pen and pencil sets, reveals his secret ambition to mine Host Milton, Billie Burke, of Hollywood and Broadway, is the other guest attraction.

TURN'S PHILATELIST

The priceless stamp collection owned by Len Gleason, famous philatelist, will be the center of attraction when Dunninger, the Master Mentalist, demonstrates another of his amazing mental tests on Wednesday. The evening's guest judges—Ted Steele, popular maestro; Emil Buichig, editor of "Reader's Scope," and Len Gleason himself—will select several stamps, and Dunninger, without seeing them, will attempt to tell from which country each stamp came, the value of each and the date of issue.

SCREEN STARS BOOKED

Two screen stars, Dorothy McGuire and Robert Bailey, will play the leading roles, when Ben Hecht's "Miracle in the Rain" is presented on "This Is My Best" Tuesday.

RADIO NEWS NOTES

Civilian radios will be ready for shipment sixty days after the government lifts restrictions, according to the President of one of the country's largest radio manufacturing plants.

"Hasten The Day," OWI produced serial, is currently heard on 461 stations throughout the country as a transcription feature. . . "Banquo's Chair," mystery story first heard on the "Suspense" show, has been purchased by Republic Pictures for future screening.

The dropping of the Sinatra vitamin show is allegedly caused by reports that the line of pills will no longer be manufactured after the first of the year.

Montreal, Canada, is the site planned for the building of a replica of New York's Radio City, with most Canadian radio activity being centered in the one group of buildings. . . Jane Pickens has replaced Eileen Farrell as singing star of the American Melody Hour show. . . First short wave broadcasts direct to Belgium since its liberation were beamed there by the OWI last week.

Gabby Gibson, double - talking lawyer for Amos 'n' Andy on their Friday night broadcasts, is played by Jimmy Baskette, who doubles as straight man for a comedy act in a Los Angeles theatre.

WBNS

1460 KILOCYCLES

Miss Patty Wolfe Wins Prince of Peace Declamation Contest

SILVER MEDAL PRESENTED TO GIRL WINNER

Large Crowd At Finals Held In Williamsport Methodist Church

Miss Patty Wolfe, Route 1, Circleville, representing Emmett's Chapel, won the Pickaway county Prince of Peace declamation contest held Sunday night in the Williamsport Methodist church before a large crowd.

Miss Wolfe was presented a silver medal, emblematic of the county championship, by the Rev. Robert S. Meyer, county chairman of the Prince of Peace contest, sponsored by the Ohio Council of Churches. Miss Wolfe is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Wolfe and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McMullen, East High street, Circleville.

As winner of the county contest, Miss Wolfe will compete against other county winners in a district contest. The district competition will be held in January but the exact date and the place have not been announced. The winner of the district contest will be given a gold medal and will compete in the state contest for cash prizes and college scholarships.

Jerry Raser, second

Jerry Raser, Commercial Point, representing the Commercial Point Methodist church, placed second in Sunday night's contest.

Other entries in the close contest were Marjorie Bowsher, Route 1, Orient, also representing Commercial Point Methodist church; Ruth Brooks, Route 3, Circleville, representing Jackson township school, and Mary Bell Hill, Williamsport, the Williamsport Methodist church representative.

Judges for the contest were the Rev. Clarence Swearingen, pastor of the First Methodist church of Circleville, Mrs. J. Austin Dowlen, teacher in the Corwin street school in Circleville, and the Rev. V. C. Stump, pastor of the New Holland Methodist church. Rev. Meyer presided at the meeting.

The Prince of Peace declamation contest, now in its 20th year, is conducted annually by the Ohio Council of Churches among boys and girls of high school age as a means of building understanding of world problems and creating intelligent peace sentiment.

ASHVILLE

About 100 local people were the guests of the Ashville Grain Co. Saturday at the formal opening of the new grinding and mixing room at the elevator. Representatives of the John Eshelman Co. and the Master-Mix Feeds were present and assisted in the serving of refreshments to the guests. Edward Cummins and Ira Fisher were the winners in a "bean-guessing" contest; the prizes being bags of poultry and dairy feed. The correct number of soy beans contained in the half-gallon jar was 7,695, and the winning guesses were 7,750 by Edward Cummins and 7,580 by Ira Fisher. Present directors of the company are: T. L. Cromley, president; Ludwig Osterle, vice president; A. M. Peters, R. R. Walker, and Arthur Sark; E. E. Borror, manager. The officers wish to thank the public for its attendance and past patronage.

Lt. Mary Peters, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Peters, is visiting her parents before reporting for duty as hospital dietitian at Ft. Benjamin Harrison, Indiana. Lt. Peters is a graduate of Ohio State and has served as dietitian at Centre college and received training at Camp Grant and Gardner hospital, Chicago.

Harry "Busse" Hedges of Ft. Knox, Ky., spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hedges.

Cpl. Paul Wagner of the U. S. Marine Corps arrived home Friday after being in the Pacific area for 27 months. He took part in the engagements at the Marianas and Solomon Islands and was stationed for a while at New Zealand. Paul arrived in California on November 18 and was furloughed home from there.

Marvin "Buddy" Monroe spent Sunday with a former classmate, Billy Plum.

Members of the Knights of Pythias lodge are urged to attend the

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Daily Bible Reading, Psalm 121.

Homer Reber will be in charge of the program at the regular Kiwanis club meeting Monday at 6:30 p. m. in Hanley's restaurant. A speaker from Lockbourne Army Air Base will talk and show some Army pictures.

Lieutenant and Mrs. Edwin C. Ziska, of Long Beach, Calif., announce the birth of a daughter, Mrs. Ziska is the former Jean Swearingen, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Clarence Swearingen, of North Pickaway street.

Wayne Advisory Council 1 will meet Friday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Mallet, Wayne township.

Mrs. Marion Noggle, 219 South Washington street, was removed Sunday from her home to St. Anthony hospital, Columbus. Mrs. Noggle, who is 84, suffered a hip fracture in a fall in the kitchen of her home.

Robert Sprouse and Glenn Heine, Circleville, attended the Ohio-West Virginia conference of the Hi-Y Saturday at the Desher-Wallick Hotel, Columbus.

Mrs. Clyde Cook, of Edison avenue, was removed Saturday to Berger hospital for medical treatment.

CARRY E. PAYNE SHOT DOWN IN ATTACK ON HUNS

THE 119TH CENTRAL HOSPITAL, England—Wounded by enemy shrapnel in the right leg while fighting near Brest, France, Private Carry E. Payne, 31, of Rt. 1, Laurelville, Ohio, is now recovering at this United States Army general hospital in England.

Pvt. Payne who has been awarded the Purple Heart, "is making excellent progress in his recovery," said his ward surgeon, First Lieutenant N. Rene Botherneau of South Pasadena, California.

"I was hit while we were making a flanking attack on a group of enemy tanks," explained Pvt. Payne. "The officer in charge of our group immediately administered first aid and he and some other soldiers carried me to an aid station. Then I was flown to England."

His wife, Mrs. Minnie Payne, their three children, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Payne, all live in Laurelville. Before entering the Army he was employed by the Container Corporation of America at Circleville, Ohio.

meeting Wednesday which will feature the annual election of officers and the conferring of the Knight Rank.

Charles Young has accepted employment on the Dr. Eliot Peters' farms.

Pfc. Clarence R. Younk of the Third Army, a member of an anti-aircraft battalion in France, writes that few enemy planes are seen by his outfit. Like most of the American boys, "Bob" doesn't like the mud of France, which doesn't seem to have improved since the first World War.

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HEALTH CHAMPIONS, according to standards of the National 4-H Congress, held in Chicago, are, left to right, Lucille Latza of Letcher, S. D.; Bob Tolbert, Paul's Valley, Okla.; Elizabeth Laughner, Leontonia, O., and Lyle Ramey of Redwood Falls, Minn. (International Soundphotos)

KINGSTON

Mrs. Bessie Carmean, of Chillicothe, Mrs. John Ater and son, Edie, of near Williamsport, visited Mrs. Charles Roby and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Roby Monday.

Mrs. John Cobb was a guest Sunday of their daughter, Mrs. Warren Cummins, and family, of Circleville.

Miss Margaret Cobb was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fouch and son, Carl.

Mrs. Roxie Emerick is visiting her sister, Mrs. S. P. Smith of Columbus.

Mrs. Emerick was a visitor in Kingston Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Rayburn and children visited from Wednesday until Friday with Mrs. Rayburn's mother, Mrs. Ethel Shoemaker, of Rutland.

Mrs. A. J. Rumlalo and daughter, Judith Ann, of New York City, are visiting Mrs. Rumlalo's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millard Baker.

Mrs. Lula Buchwalter was hostess to her Pinochle club Friday evening.

Those enjoying the game were: Mrs. C. M. Senff, Mrs. Lemuel Rice, Mrs. Reese Siberell, Mrs. James Search and Mrs. Charles Miller.

Miss Joyce Kreisel, of Columbus, was a week end guest of Miss Helen Louise Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller spent last week in Chillicothe with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hupp and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Roby and daughter, Harriett Ann, and grandson, Jerry Burile, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ater, of near Williamsport.

Mrs. Bessie Smith entertained her Euchre club Wednesday even-

ing at her home on High street. Those present were: Mrs. Will Evans, Mrs. C. M. Senff, Mrs. Ott Davis, Mrs. Claude Reynolds, Mrs. Russell Brooks, Mrs. Reese Siberell, Mrs. Lemuel Rice, Mrs. James Search, Mrs. J. M. Buchwalter, Mrs. Charles Miller and Mrs. Burnell Newhouse. Prizes for score were awarded Mrs. Rice first; Mrs. Buchwalter, second, and Mrs. Senff, low.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Leist and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Yapple of Dayton, accompanied Mrs. R. M. Blanchard home Saturday. Mrs. Blanchard had visited at the Leist home in Dayton since Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Yapple entertained at dinner Saturday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Leist, Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Yapple, of Dayton, and Mrs. R. M. Blanchard.

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NEWS Behind the NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

(Continued from Page Four)

insist on self-determination for Poland, Rumania, Yugoslavia (which the Russians have taken). Why not? Some say we are afraid of offending Russia, or know it would not do any good, but should we then not also be "afraid" of offending Britain? Does this not prove there is something wrong with our thinking on these matters? Is it not time for us to go further under the surface of events and know Europe better?

In general, our people do not like British policy. It is old-fashioned, imperialistic, selfish, always pro-British (this is why London did not want Sforza, who is not a communist, but is a wily schemer and not pro-British). But do we like Russia's policy any better? After all the British are democratic in method, and it is possible to have a revolution under their influence, while it is not possible under the Russian pattern?

How can you settle this problem, I ask European authorities here. They say, the undergrounds of Europe should be granted immediately better representation in the governments (French, Belgian, Dutch as well as Italian and Greek.) But the strongest underground movements everywhere were communist. They had such an organization before the Nazi invasion. Is this what we really want?

To get a just solution it is first necessary for us to get away from the deceptive vagaries of diplomatic language restrictions and recognize the European game for what it is. We must also go deeper into matters than our current debate about these things is going. I will strive further in that direction tomorrow.

The Marianas, in the Pacific, are a group of 15 volcanic islands fringed with coral reefs.

LOCAL SOLDIER MISSING SINCE MID-NOVEMBER

Pfc. Kay Adams has been missing in action in France since November 18, according to a war department telegram received by his wife, Mrs. Audrey Lowrey Adams, 146 First avenue.

Pfc. Adams entered service in October, 1943, and went overseas in September, 1944. Last letter received from him was dated November 12 and was received by Mrs. Adams December 1.

He was employed at the International Harvester plant, Springfield, before his induction.

Two brothers are also in service, Jay, who is stationed with the Army at Camp Claiborne, La., and Ray, a seaman second class in the Navy.

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